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The "Valiant" Session of Officers, commissioned recently in Eaton Auditorium, Toronto, fare forth to serve God and Humanity (See Inside Pages)

# Sermons Without Texts

## In God's Nursery

BY HENRY F. MILANS, O.F.

I WAS talking the other day, by telephone, to a young mother whose little fellow is just finding out that his legs will carry him around, and that his little fingers are fine for pulling things over. "Getting him into mischief," his mother calls it. There was a crash as we talked, and the mother ran to dig her boy out of the wreckage of a flower pot that had toppled to the floor. He had hurt himself and was crying at the top of his little lungs. "Oh, dear me," the mother said when she resumed our talk, "I am just about worn out trying to keep that boy out of trouble."

How very much like our Father, I thought. He liberates us from the

hurting themselves, and us, terribly. They seem to appreciate for a time the blessedness of their emancipation from the bondage of sin. They are happy in the sweet air and light of God's freedom. Then, off they go, confidently, out into their own world again. But they aren't safe. They are only liberated babes, and the Father never relaxes His watchful vigilance over them. He will not desert them in their spiritual infancy. The foundling will never be abandoned. Jesus is with us; goodness and mercy follow. We are thus protected from the foes who are there in the pleasant indulgences of the past to stab us in the back. They pursue us relentlessly, but we may always

not God. We want to break away from some of the restraint that righteousness imposes. The world holds up a pretty toy, and we are tempted to grasp it. All the lustre is taken from these lures and enticements if we keep our eyes on Jesus and our thoughts on His goodness.

MY dog is fast going blind. He sees but little now. I'm so sorry for him. My eyes were just like his not long ago, and I am very careful of him. When he lets me help him down the steps, he is safe from falling. But sometimes, in his eagerness, he forgets that he is blind and then takes a tumble. He is safe as long as he is attentive to my guidance. I am trying to teach him this.

In just this way, God is trying to train us in His spiritual nursery. He wants us to learn that we are safe only when He is near; and we need His guidance, for we often cannot see clearly that His is the Abiding Presence which insures our eternal security here and hereafter.

### UNWAVERING COURAGE

IT has been rightly said that while several factors have contributed to winning recent battles in Africa which may prove to have a vital influence on the shortening of the war, the chief was undoubtedly the unwavering courage of the men who fought them. But their courage was constantly upheld by the knowledge that the best types of bombers and protecting planes were fighting for them all the time.

The strongest courage of which man is capable is required in the constant and deadly war with sin; and is only possible through an awareness of the indomitable presence of the unseen Christ.

## THE HILLS AHEAD

THE hills ahead look hard and steep and high,  
Often we behold them with a sigh;  
But as we near them, level grows the road,  
We find on every slope, with every load,  
The climb is not so steep, the top so far,  
The hills look harder than they are.

And so it is with troubles, though they seem so great  
That ~~men~~ complain, and fear and hesitate.  
Less difficult the journey than we dreamed;  
It never proves as hard as once it seemed.  
There never comes a hill, a task, a day,  
But, as we near it, easier the way.

power of the evil one, and then has to watch constantly that we aren't drawn into escapades by which we will again be sinfully hurt. He sets us free at the Penitent-Form, but we are in our spiritual infancy. We ought to remain in the spiritual nursery, to be safe while He trains us and feeds us until we are perfected in Christ Jesus. Sometimes it seems to me that our Father, like the little mother next door, must be "about worn out" trying to keep us out of trouble.

HE and I are deeply interested in some fine men who ought to be strong in the Lord and in His power, but who often disappoint us. We don't seem to be able to get them out of the nursery stage. They are ever stumbling and falling and

### CAN YOU SEE?

IN conversing with a Christian friend about religious things, an unconverted business man answered every attempt to convince him of the existence of God with the objection, "I cannot see it that way." His friend wrote the word "God" and asked: "Can you see that?" "Yes," was the reply. Taking a coin from his pocket the Christian gentleman covered the written word with it and asked again: "Can you see it now?" "No," said the unbeliever.

How often people are hindered in seeing the truths of religion! It may be money, business, worldly honor, fear of man, pride, self-righteousness or some other thing that keeps you from seeing Christ. Very often a good thing may be the enemy of the better thing. Good pearls may keep one from striving after the one pearl of great price; virtues may prevent you from seeing the need of being born again. But to be safe, follow God's Word implicitly.

"On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand,  
All other ground is sinking sand."



## Given Right Conditions

The miracle of Spring is bound to bring the glory of foliage, flowers and bird-song, gladdening the world.

COMPLYING with conditions of Salvation—real sorrow for sin and utter reliance on the finished work of Christ to save from all sin—the hardest and most unlikely person realizes the recreating power of God, bringing a superlative sense of freedom and joy in newness of soul-life.

Do you want soul-peace now? "Seek and ye shall find."

## THE WAR CRY

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## Daily Devotions

Helpful Thoughts For Everyone

SUNDAY: I will instruct thee and teach thee in the way which thou shalt go: I will guide thee with mine eye.

Psa. 32:8.

The depth of this much-loved verse is increased when it is recalled that it constitutes God's answer to the expressed faith of one encompassed with fears and whose every "human" avenue of escape from enemies was closed.

When we cannot see our way,  
Let us trust and still obey;  
He who bids us forward go  
Cannot fail the way to show.

MONDAY: Yea, Thou liftest me up above those that rise up against me.

Psa. 18:48.

The man of faith may be earth-bound but his spirit soars the stratosphere, far above defeat.

Now thou liftest up my soul,  
High o'er things of earth and space;

Confident in Thy defense,  
Strong in Thine omnipotence.

TUESDAY: Blessed is the man that trusteth in the Lord, and whose trust the Lord is; he shall not be careful in the year of drought, neither cease from yielding fruit.—Jer. 17:8.

There are many servicemen today who by reason of the "well of living water springing up" within their souls produce fruits of righteousness in a literal desert and in a wilderness of spiritual drought.

When all around my soul gives way,

He then is all my hope and stay.

WEDNESDAY: Ye shall find rest for your souls.—Jer. 6:16.

"In many Corps no doubt the song, 'Peace, Perfect Peace,' would be sung for the boys on active service during that Sunday," states a Salvationist Padre writing of a meeting held in a battle-area, "but we sang for you back home,

'Peace, perfect peace! with loved ones far away!'

In Jesus' keeping WE are safe and THEY,

and for ourselves we sang the next verse,

'Peace! Perfect peace! Our future all unknown?'

Jesus we know, and He is on the Throne."

THURSDAY: One Lord, one faith, one baptism.—Ephes. 4:5.

Salvationists, in particular, thank God for oneness of spirit. Recently a lone New Zealand Army Officer in a military camp "somewhere in New Caledonia," listened to an English Songster Brigade recorded broadcast from an Australian short-wave station; probably heard, also, by American Salvationists. And every Army Soldier will appreciate just what joy that music brought.

His song in them, in us, is one;  
We raise it high, we send it on—  
The song that ever bindeth.

FRIDAY: Remember the poor.

Gal. 2:10.

Are we apt to give largely to worthy efforts and overlook the needs of sick, aged and poor in our own neighborhood? A cheering call, with some gift of love in the Master's name is possible to most of us.

Therefore, Christian men, be sure  
Ye who now will bless the poor,  
Shall yourselves find blessing.

SATURDAY: But if Thou canst do anything, have compassion on us, and help us. Jesus said unto him, if thou canst believe, all things are possible to him that believeth.—Mark 9:22, 23.

The "if" of doubt and desperation is met by the "if" of Divine encouragement, and the glorious statement concerning unlimited power of simple but triumphant faith.

Be Thou conqueror of each heart,  
We as one implore Thee.



# VALIANTS ALL!



**I**N The Salvation Army it has been said that "all roads lead to the Penitent-Form." This is nowhere truer than in Officers' Training College activities. Far above all other academic or practical accomplishments of the "Valiant" Session is the value placed on the fact that, by the good blessing of God, 359 adults and 735 young people sought the Salvation of God through their efforts, under the guidance of the Principal, Lieut.-Colonel R. Hoggard, and assistant Officers.

And that those efforts were not stereotyped is indicated in that 29 meetings were conducted in prisons and other institutions, and—requiring much tact—in over ten thousand homes. Cadets read the Word of God, prayed, and spoke of the things of the Spirit. Some 11,000 War Crys found entrance to as many residences and offices.

## Straightforward and Earnest

Had all Cadets' indoor meetings (not including the wide scope of street meetings)—been held at one time, a great congregation of 28,000 persons would have listened to their convincing appeals, for, however inexperienced, Cadets never fail to hold attention by reason of their straightforward earnestness. The most worldly-minded is attracted by the beauty of purity portrayed upon the somewhat austere faces of such young people wholly given up to warfare for God.

**W**ARFARE is not a new word in The Army; it is as old as the militant Organization itself, but the sacrifice by which aggressiveness becomes potent is new and real to each Cadet—and to the parents who willingly gave their children for the war. From three score homes, young men and women went forth in September of last year, leaving forever all selfish ambition or hope of worldly gain,

## THE "VALIANTS" CHIEF WEAPON



For the Word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart (Hebrews 4:12)

to follow Christ in the path to which He had called. By far the greater number came to the College conversant with Army methods, for 56 of them were converted by its ministry, and of the whole Session just one Cadet found Salvation after 20 years of age.

"By Love Serve"

Gal. 5:13.

## Informative Statistics of the 1942 and 1943 Session of Training

Four are children of Officers, 14 are third-generation and two fourth-generation Salvationists.

Not only were they aware of vicissitudes of fighting, many had received some training in leadership. The average age of Cadets was 20 years, and the average term of Senior Soldiership over six years, but they were active periods for 22 Cadets had been Senior Local Officers, including Treasurers, Secretaries, Corps Cadet Guardians and Young People's Sergeant-Majors. Fifty-four held Young People's Local Officers' Commissions. Added to that creditable array 57 taught in Company meetings, 13 played in Bands, and 45 were Higher Grade Corps Cadets—with six years of study to their credit—while 18 had worn the Lower Grade Badge.

## Science of "Scrubology"

**I**N cosmopolitan centres which Canada affords, the eleven Canadians of foreign extraction will find ample scope for work among the peoples for whom they have special concern. Those who speak languages other than English will find their accomplishment very useful in winning new-Canadians for Christ.

The curriculum included such diverse subjects as theology and housework, for Cadets are taught that "scrubology" is often more effective than sermonizing especially in homes where the need of soap and water is alarmingly apparent. For the first time in sheltered lives, some saw the appalling effects of sin not only in the lives of adults, but saddest of all, in little children.

## Effective Assaults

This was true in Toronto, and in cities and towns where the "Valiants" campaigned. Eighty-eight of these pointed and effective assaults against sin were carried out with high success and great loss to the enemy. And in every battle these Officers—in the making—realized



"Through God we shall do valiantly; for He it is that shall tread down our enemies (Ps. 60:12)"

that the subtle and deeply entrenched power of Satan could be—and was—overcome by the matchless strength of the Conqueror at Calvary.

**A**LTHOUGH war-time exigency shortened the normal training period, Cadets enjoyed eight days consecrated to contemplation of their spiritual needs, 119 Bible classes, 67 special lectures, 54 classes each in Doctrine and Orders and Regulations, and much instruction in Field-Drill, Singing, Subject Notes, First-Aid and other subjects which crowded every moment from early rising time to "Lights Out."

## Wage a Worthy Warfare

Mention should be made also that, under the guidance of the Principal, the pageant, "Dawn," presented in Toronto and Hamilton, was an outstanding success, and less pretentious Biblical presentations given from time to time afforded training for future young people's demonstrations.

With valiant hearts, equipped

minds, ready hands, and surrounded by the prayers of their comrades the young Officers go forth to wage a worthy warfare for God in The Army.

## THE FOUNDER SPEAKS

Talents Are Given to Glorify God and Bless Mankind

**H**AVE you capacity? Do you reckon yourself to have superior brains, greater intelligence than ordinary? Are not these just the things the world needs, and just the reason why you should volunteer for the service of Jesus Christ and the Salvation of men? Surely you do not wish Jesus Christ to have the fools only! If any enterprise of this or any other world was ever worthy of every talent men can possibly possess surely this is. Pray, from whom did you get your talent—your capacity, and for what was it given but to glorify God and to bless mankind?

## Knights of the Cross

Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of His might. Ephes. 6:10.

**W**AIT on the Lord,  
And He shall give to thee,  
All the desires  
Within thy inmost soul,  
If they but be  
Attuned unto His will;  
Wait thou on God,  
Before His face be still,  
And harken thou  
Until He speak to thee,  
And to thine heart  
Reveal His blessed will.

Wait on the Lord,  
For He has bid thee wait,  
Low at His feet  
In quiet worship there;  
Till He shall come  
And fill thee with His love,

To overflow  
In loving service true;  
Then go thou forth  
To bless thy fellowman;  
Strong in His might,  
Kept faithful all thy days.

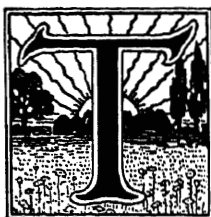
Wait on the Lord,  
From Him thine armor take;  
For thou must fight  
Gainst wickedness and sin;  
Take up God's Word,  
Salvation's helmet true,  
The shield of faith,  
Thy breastplate, righteousness;  
Girt with His truth,  
Thy feet with peace be shod;  
So shalt thou serve  
Until He says, "Well done."  
Lieut.-Colonel David Miller (R).

Our  
READERS



## RITE ON VARIED THEMES ... "WHOM DO MEN SAY THAT I AM?"

By Band-Sergeant J. R. Webster, Winnipeg



HE Master asked this of His disciples one day as he neared the end of His earthly ministry.

Occasionally our Corps Officer is inspired to ask the Soldiers to give expression, in a sentence, to what Jesus is to them. "Pop-corn testimonies," the veterans called them.

What choice expressions have been heard and with what warmth and intimacy we have listened to an aged greybeard say, "He's the Rose of Sharon," and a teen-age convert, "He is the altogether lovely." And another comrade, with depth of meaning, "He's my best friend." And yet another who, we know, is lonely and sad since bereaved of her helpmeet, "He walks with me—my constant Companion."

In the course of our reading recently we came upon these expressions of rare beauty and fidelity:

"He is a Rare Jewel—but men know not His value.

"He is a Sun, which ever shines—but men perceive not His brightness nor walk in His light.

"He is a Garden full of sweets; a Hive full of honey; a Sun without a spot; a Star ever bright; a Fountain ever full; a Brook which ever flows; a Rose which ever blooms; a Foundation which never yields; a Guide who never errs; a Friend who never forsakes.

### The Source Of All Good

"No mind can fully grasp His glory, His beauty, His worth; His importance no tongue can fully declare. He is the Source of all good, the Fountain of every excellency, the Mirror of perfection, the Light

### UNDER THE WAVES

Submarine Officer Reads Psalm 46 to Fireman About to Undergo Major Operation

FAR below the ocean surface, not far from Tokio, the United States Submarine *Silverides* cruised with just enough speed to maintain a steerageway.

Fireman George W. Platter was acutely ill with appendicitis. Thomas A. Moore, of Chino Valley, Arizona—a chief pharmacist's mate—had never performed a surgical operation, but he had seen a "couple of thousand" such operations while he was serving as a hospital apprentice at the San Diego Naval Hospital, and he felt confident that he could perform it.

Lieutenant Commander D. C. Burlingame was called in and so advised. And Fireman Moore was elected to do the job. "The ocean was smooth as glass when the time for the operation came," he said, "but the skipper took her down so we wouldn't have to make a crash drive during the operation."

For more than five hours Fireman Moore worked and finally extracted the badly inflamed appendix. The operation was started with a spinal anaesthetic, but before it was over they had to give Platter a can and a half of ether.

Lieutenant Commander Roy M.

of Heaven, the Wonder of earth, time's Masterpiece and eternity's Glory, the Sun of Bliss, and the Way of Life."

"He is altogether lovely," says an old saint. "A morning without clouds, a day without night, a rose without a thorn; His lips drop like the honeycomb; His eyes beam tenderness; His heart gushes love.

"The Christian is fed by His hands, carried in His heart, supported by His arm, nursed in His bosom, guided by His eye, instructed by His lips, warmed by His love. His wounds are his life, His body his bread, His smile the light of his path, the health of his soul, his rest and Heaven below."

### Glimpses of Jesus

Saints can give expression to such thoughts as these, for they are truly glimpses of Jesus—He means that and more to His own.

But, the stranger to Him might ask, "How can I get such a glimpse of Him?" How can you? Only as the light from the sun brings the image of the sun—so only can light

from Jesus bring or give glimpses of Jesus.

You, you, and you who profess along with me to know Him, are His mirrors, His reflections. How do you know a rose is near? By the fragrance it emits. How do you know that honey is upon your palate? By the sweetness you taste. And so, only as we reflect Jesus, so only can glimpses of Him come to those who know Him not, and to those who thus far are still spiritually blind.

### Share the Fragrance

And, so, only you and I who carry the fragrance of the Rose of Sharon, the fragrant odor of His presence, can scatter that fragrance to others.

So only can we, who have had the sweetness of honey upon our palate—in other words, who have "Tasted and seen that the Lord is good"—only we can tell what the blessing of God is.

"He saith unto them, But whom say ye that I am? . . . Thou art the Christ, the Son of the Living God."

## CAMP CAMEOS TEMPTATIONS IN THE SERVICES

By CAPTAIN HUGH MACLEAN

HERE is something magical done openly. This does not make those in the services any worse than before; their thoughts and actions are simply better known.

If you feel otherwise, you are one of those who overlook the ten commandments and stress the so-called "eleventh": "Thou shalt not be found out!" Jesus Christ taught differently. To plan a sinful act was just as culpable as to be able to carry it out. It is not in laws nor public sentiments that true righteousness is found. Only the Grace of God in the heart can bring us Salvation. If that be lacking, what matter whether the truth came out now or on the great Judgment Morning? Time cannot affect Truth.

### Sinners and Saints

"A drunken man's words," according to an old proverb, "are a sober man's conscience." Just so, a serviceman's deeds are a civilian's conscience. Do not blame the services. In them are many of the saints of God. But just as they were saints before they donned the uniforms, the sinners were sinners then, too. It took the same Grace, no more, no less, to bring Salvation then as now. God is no respecter of uniforms.

"He knoweth the heart of man."

### PERMISSION GRANTED

"WHO gave you permission to walk about my place selling your Army papers?" shouted a British public-house proprietor to Major Pridmore Smith on a recent Saturday night. The Major asked permission. It was granted.

Next Saturday he asked again, and when he was leaving the proprietor bought a paper. When the Major arrived on the following Saturday the proprietor said: "You need not ask my permission again! If that's the kind of papers you sell somebody must get some good out of them. Please bring me one every week!"

### CORPS CADET RALLIES

United Events at Vancouver and Winnipeg

FOLLOWING a soul-stirring council with the Officers, the Corps Cadets gathered in an evening session for a season of blessing and inspiration, conducted by the Territorial Young People's Secretary. The Divisional Commander, Brigadier Junker, presided, and was supported by Major and Mrs. Alder and the Divisional staff. No less than 86 Corps Cadets gathered at the Vancouver Heights Hall for this rally, and every moment of the time was winged with happy fellowship and direction.

Excellent papers were prepared and read by Mrs. Captain E. Halsey, of Grandview, and Corps Cadet Gladys Butler, of Vancouver Heights. Corps Cadet Phyllis Alder read an essay written for such gatherings by Captain A. Brown, of Territorial Headquarters, on the life of the Founder of The Salvation Army.

A Bible Quiz Contest which sparkled with life and interest was conducted by the Brigadier, and the prize for this was won by the grandson of Commissioner McKenzie.

The Brigadier's Bible lesson was a short but challenging message which led many to high resolves and dedication for service.

WINNIPEG and Selkirk Corps Cadets, with their Guardians and Officers, gathered at Ellice Avenue Citadel on Friday, April 30, when Brigadier and Mrs. R. McBain were given a joyous welcome. Divisional Corps Cadet Guardian Mary Irwin opened the Rally with the song, "Wanted hearts baptized with fire," and during the evening Corps Cadet Mary Robson voiced the welcome of the Corps Cadets.

Both Brigadier and Mrs. McBain responded with appropriate words, and certificates for the last Corps Cadet Course were presented by the Brigadier, assisted by Adjutant M. Little.

The audience was privileged to hear a recording of the voice of The Army Founder, and an effective demonstration presented by Winnipeg Citadel Corps Cadet Brigade concluded the evening.

### SOCIAL WORK DIAMOND JUBILEE Celebrated in Melbourne

THE Diamond Jubilee of Social activities of The Army in Australia was celebrated in Melbourne Town Hall, under the presidency of the Governor of Victoria, Sir Winston Dugan, states Colonel Jas. Hawkins in a cable message to the British War Cry. Enthusiasm and sympathy marked the massed gathering of tribute to sixty years' selfless service to broken humanity and loving care for needy children. Messages were read from the Governor-General, Lord Gowrie, and General George Carpenter.

The Lord Mayor of Melbourne and seven mayors of municipalities, with Members of Parliament, were present. Commissioner Dalziel's facts, figures and stories moved all hearts. Tableaux and platform displays gave a thrilling picture of "The way we have come and what we have done" in six decades.

This demonstration was a fitting conclusion to a Social Officers' Conference conducted by the Territorial Commander (Commissioner Dalziel) and the opening of the Territorial Congress.

### RED SHIELD MOBILE CLUB

THE first Red Shield Mobile Club for Servicewomen recently went into action in an English area where there are many isolated units.

The Club on Wheels, with its library, music, and other social amenities, will be taken to selected units.



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# CHUNGKING'S FIRST MILESTONE

Canadian Missionary Officers Celebrate One Year of Progress in West China

[By MAJOR CLINTON EACOTT]

**T**O-DAY is the first anniversary of Chungking Corps. We had a special comrades' meeting, tea and cakes and oranges together; there were forty present. We reviewed the year. Three hundred and seventy-seven persons have registered in our Salvation meetings. This means they were interested in our meetings, and promised to attend others. They were nearly all first-timers, and mostly Szechuanese. (Chungking is in Szechuan Province.)

Seventy-one persons have knelt at the Penitent-Form. I remember in our opening meeting a year ago how I pointed to the Penitent-Form and said that it was the centre and aim of our efforts, and it is good now to see many of the seventy who have knelt there, seeking God, and hear their testimony. Praise God!

Thirty-three are enrolled as Converts and thirteen are Recruits. One of these, a young man, has already been called to his Reward. He was an earnest lad and the last Sunday he came to meetings he took the Company lesson in the children's meeting for the first time.

Our two Soldiers are our Corps helpers, Chang Min-sheng and his wife. Both are natives of Chungking, and both are second generation Christians. Chang Min-sheng was interested in The Army before he saw its Officers, through reading our War Cry printed in Peking.

So our Senior Corps numbers about fifty "regulars." We have never worked so hard for fruit before. Only two or three of our comrades have learned to testify in public meetings, and they are very nervous and slow of speech, compared to our North China comrades. But we "thank God and take courage," and believe another year will see further progress.

Eight or nine comrades now stand with us in the open-air meetings, and will read out verses of the songs, and now and then one of the other will pluck up courage and testify.

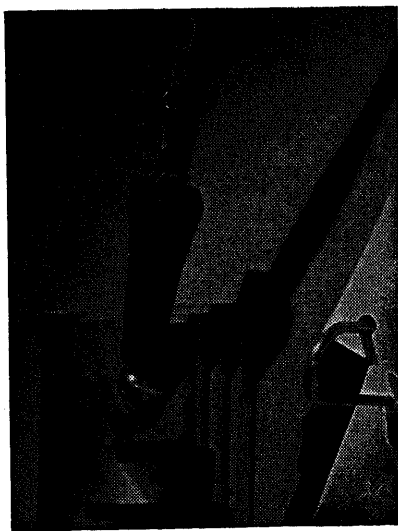
Five hundred dollars (CN.) was subscribed for wounded soldiers instead of having a Corps dinner. One thousand dollars received from the International Women's Club was spent on the children. One hundred boys and girls were given boxes containing candy, cakes, biscuits, soap and a little toy (tops for the boys and something else more suitable for the girls). They were each given a large Szechuan orange. They were all so quiet and good this year—we do see a difference in their behaviour. Seeing

we take a collection every Sunday some had brought their dimes, and when they came up to the front to receive their gifts, dropped their money in the collection basket quite unasked. Sweet, wasn't it? We also entertained another group of poor riverside children, a hundred of them, and \$1,000 given by the Minister for Social Affairs was spent on hot dumplings, and every child was given ten — seven meat ones and three sweet ones. They were also given an orange. We had a short meeting with them first.

**T**HE Juniors give us joy, though at first we were rather dismayed at their rough ways and noise! Seventy to ninety come to Company meeting every Sunday, and over twenty are regulars at Band of Love and can recite the pledge. Ten little girls, uniformed in blue gowns, form a timbrel band, and they sometimes help in the Senior open-air meeting and five or six nearly always go with us on Thursday afternoons when we hold an open-air meeting before the children's meeting. Eight little boys have blue uniforms. The drum is much in demand on the boys' side. One open-air meeting I was amused to see it passed from one to the other after each verse of the song, so a different player for every verse kept things lively!

Our Sundays are full and happy. At 9.30 we have an English service. This is attended by very intelligent young men from nearby government offices. During the year about fifty have given their names, and though they are constantly being moved our attendance is usually between ten and twenty. We type the songs out. "We're a band that shall conquer the foe," has proved a favorite! At 10.30 we have a Holiness meeting, purely Chinese, and our comrades who so often work for other people who do not keep the Sabbath do not find it easy to attend. We num-

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## MAKE A NOTE OF THESE:

At Learning's fountain it is sweet to drink,  
But 'tis a nobler privilege to think.—John Godfrey Saxe.

Christianity is not a theory or speculation, but a life; not a philosophy of life, but a life and a living process.—Samuel Coleridge.

It is well to remember that the Ten Commandments, given to the world from Sinai, have never been superseded. They have, however, been supplemented by Christ's all-embracing injunction: "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thine heart and thy neighbor as thyself."

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## FROM MY DESK

By the General



## How Much Owest Thou?

**T**HESE are not ungrateful days. Often we say, "Things might be worse." Not long ago we expected less than we now enjoy. Even where the war has brought unspeakable grief there is the knowledge that many others have fared as badly, or worse. Few have not something left that, too, might have gone.

Salvationists of Britain and others parts of the world, taken as a whole, stand high amongst the favored ones. Three years of war have given us new opportunities, new joy in service, and often, new resources with which to serve.

When, therefore, I ask, in the words of the steward in our Lord's parable, "How much owest thou?" I hear a ready answer, "Very much!" The disposition to gratitude is strong.

We must, however, take care that our thankfulness is not confined to a pleasant feeling of favor with God and man. We must beware of the temptation to put more coal on the fire, draw up the chair and, reaching for the slippers, sing a hymn of praise to God for His mercies, while not far beyond the closed door are the cold and comfortless. Those black-out curtains can shut out the cry of the needy as well as keep in the light.

**H**OW much, then, owest thou to my Lord for all His mercies? A dutifully thankful spirit? Yes, and no more?

Of course there's more. So much more that you'll give unstintingly of your toil and means. You will rally to support Officers saddled with heavier tasks because so many Soldiers are away. You will give generously of your own resources.

No material return is promised for your effort, no post-war credit, nor bonus, nor increase of basket and store, because you've been a good getter and giver. But I do remind you that your Self-Denial money, for example, being so largely missionary work money, keeps alive an effort of vital value to the Kingdom of God.

Think of India's need for a Gospel that will bind men together; think of Africa's immense future. Consider what must be done in China as soon as the war is over.

**I**WISH it were possible to extend the practice which has been borrowed from us, of bringing to the home front those who have served in the heat of the battle. No pilot speaking among the lathes could be more grateful for work done behind the scenes than are our Missionary Officers. For the time, however, they stay out amongst the perils and privations, while you play your part by giving that which you owe.

There is more money in the pockets of a good many Salvationists. You will, I know, all give according to what you have because, when you consider the question, "How much owest thou?" your debt to God seems to grow, and grow.

## SINGING EBENEZERS

**W**EARING her fifty years' Long-Service Badge for the first time (says the British War Cry), Mrs. General Carpenter "looked backward" on Sunday, to the great blessing of the International Training College Cadets. Abundant evidence of the leading of God in a surrendered life was provided by her vivid narratives. She suggested a study of Cruden's Concordance for light on the number of ways in which "God is able." The Cadets, in addition to their excellent listening, provided an inspiring contrast by giving their own testimonies as to how God had called them to service and used them in their most recent contacts with the people during their Self-Denial Campaign.

During the concluding hour Mrs. Carpenter reminded her young

fellow-workers that a yoke is meant to be helpful and is not burdensome, if properly borne. The yoke of Jesus, when accepted in His spirit, meant joyous service.

## APPOINTED TO BOARD OF PAROLE

**P**RISON WORK history was recently made for The Army by the appointment of the Territorial Prison Secretary, Lieut. - Colonel Wallace Bunton, as a member of the Ontario Board of Parole. The Colonel, who is also a Justice of Peace, was informed of this decision by a letter from the Deputy Provincial Secretary.

By recent enactment of legislation the way has been cleared for Salvationists to be appointed chaplains in penal institutions.

## FRUITFUL SPIRITUAL CAMPAIGNS IN BRITAIN

**E**ASTERTIDE soul-saving Campaigns throughout Britain drew very large crowds in spite of many wartime handicaps and the fact that Good Friday was a working day.

The General and Mrs. Carpenter following inspiring campaigns in South Wales conducted meetings on Good Friday at Ipswich, Rugby on Easter Sunday, and Monday at Norland Castle, inspecting Red Shield centres en route. The number of seekers totalled eighty.

The Chief of the Staff and Mrs. Commissioner Cunningham led a four-day Good Friday and Easter Campaign at Bristol, which resulted in eighty-five surrenders.

The British Self-Denial total, despite a scarcity of workers, was £210,247, an increase of over £31,000.

Sidney C. Gauntlett, Colonel.

# MINIATURE MESSAGES

From the "Valiants" to War Cry Readers

"But unto every one of us is given grace according to the measure of the gift of Christ" (Eph. 4:7).

ERMA BAKER, Lisgar St., Toronto.

"It is in the path of God's appointment that we find His presence."

DOROTHY BEKER, Windsor, N.S.

"I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me" (Phil. 4:13).

GRACE BURKETT, Medicine Hat.

"The Lord will perfect that which concerneth me" (Psalm 138:8).

EVELYN BUTLER, Vancouver Heights.

"O lead me, Lord, that I may lead The wandering and the wayward feet."

DOROTHY CARR, Wychwood, Toronto.

"I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus" (Phil. 3:14).

MARGARET CHUBBS, Fairbank.

"Show me Thy ways, O Lord; teach me Thy paths" (Psalm 25:4).

VERA CLARKE, Cobourg, Ont.

"If God be for us, who can be against us?" (Rom. 8:31).

RUTH DANIELS, Swansea.

"Others, Lord, yes, others, Let my motto be; Help me to live for others That I may live for Thee."

JEAN DELAMONT, Earlscourt, Toronto.

"Great is our Lord, and of great power: His understanding is infinite" (Ps. 147:5).

LEIDA DOCKSTEADER, Parry Sound.

"Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on Thee: because he trusteth in Thee" (Isaiah 26:3).

VIVIAN DURKEE, Yorkville, Toronto.

"As one of a thousand we may just fail; But as 'one, plus God,' we are bound to win."

VIOLET EMBERSON, New Westminster.

"Even Christ pleased not Himself" (Romans 15:3).

MYRTLE ERB, Medicine Hat, Alta.

"For I know whom I have believed and am persuaded that He is able to keep that which I have committed unto Him against that day" (2 Tim. 1:12).

JANET FERGUSON, Saint John Citadel.

"Rejoice because your names are written in heaven" (Luke 10:20).

NORMA GATES, Prince Albert.

"Trust ye in the Lord for ever: for in the Lord Jehovah is everlasting strength" (Isaiah 26:4).

MARION GITSHAM, Hamilton V.

"Bond slave to Christ and in my bonds rejoicing; Ear-marked to Him I counted less than nought."

BETTY GODFREY, Danforth, Toronto.

"In all thy ways acknowledge Him; and He shall direct thy paths" (Prov. 3:6).

RUTH GOLDSMITH, Chatham.

## THE MAIN QUESTION

SUPPOSE I want to rent a house. I see a notice in the window of a likely house to the effect that it is for sale or to let. I knock at the door and enquire of the man who opens it, "Have you the letting of this house?"

"Yes, sir," he replies.

"Very well, then, I would like to rent it; but before I do, I want to know how many bricks there are in the chimney, how much timber there is in it, and how many pounds of nails there are in the whole building."

What would you think of such questions? Yet there are foolish people who ask questions about the Bible. They want to know who was Cain's wife? who was Melchisedec's father? and a hundred other senseless things of no earthly concern whatever.

If men and women will come to this Book and ask, "What must I do to be saved?" they will find a simple and divine answer, "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved." (Acts 16.)

Calgary Messenger.

"Thou shalt be steadfast, and shalt not fear" (Job 11:15).

"Fear thou not, for I am with thee" (Isaiah 41:10).

BEATRICE GOLEM, Yorkville, Toronto.

"Go forward in the strength of the Lord."

DOROTHY GOLEM, Grande Prairie.

"They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength" (Isaiah 40:31).

RUBY HALL, Selkirk, Man.

"For I am not ashamed of the Gospel of Christ; for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth" (Romans 1:16).

LAURA HANSON, Saint John North End.

"My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness" (1 Cor. 12:9).

KATIE HOGG, Windsor, N.S.

"I will praise thee, O Lord, with my whole heart; I will shew forth all thy marvellous works" (Psalm 9:1).

JEAN HUBAND, Toronto Temple.

"Go ye therefore and teach all nations: and lo I am with you alway" (Matt. 28:19-20).

MARJORIE KERR, Hamilton II.

"What he had promised, He was able to perform" (Rom. 4:21).

VERA LANGLAND, Swift Current.

"Not my will but Thine be done" (Luke 22:42).

ELIZABETH MACDONALD, Hamilton 6.

"Who . . . out of weakness were made strong, waxed valiant in fight" (Heb. 11:34).

GERALDINE MAJOR, Port Colborne.

"Where God's finger points, there God's hand opens the way."

DAISY MARMOUNIER, Elmwood, Win.

"If you have never tried Christ you have never lived."

GLADYS MCGREGOR, Regina North End.

"Be strong and of good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the Lord, thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest" (Joshua 1:9).

ETHEL MOORE, Weston, Ont.

"I have set the Lord always before me because He is at my right hand I will

## Tried and True

RELIGION, you say, is old-fashioned? How true! So is food, so is drink; So are fathers and mothers and neighbors,

And all things of value, I think.

A newfangled creed has no power

Until it is tried by the years;

If good, it endures through misfortunes,

And abides in the valley of tears.

True faith, understanding, and kindness—

Well, these are old-fashioned virtues, too;

Thank God for old-fashioned religion

In a world where too much is new.

Bess S. Ayres.

not be moved" (Psalm 16:8).

MARIE MORGAN, London III.

"Except the Lord build the house, they labor in vain that build it" (Psalm 127:1).

VALERIE NEALE, Brockville.

"Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed rightly dividing the word of truth" (1 Tim. 2:15).

DOROTHY PAGE, Hamilton IV.

"The Lord is my Shepherd; He leadeth me" (Psalm 23).

ELIZABETH PEACOCKE, Riverdale.

"We know that all things work together for good to them that love God" (Romans 8:28).

GERTRUDE POLHILL, Halifax Citadel.

"He must increase but I must decrease" (John 3:30).

ELVA PRIMMER, Toronto Temple.

"In Thee, O Lord, do I put my trust" (Psalm 71:1).

BEULAH PRITCHETT, Sydney, N.S.

"In the way which thou shalt go, I will guide thee with mine eye" (Ps. 32:8).

LILLITH ROSE, Glace Bay, N.S.

"The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the strength of my life, of whom shall I be afraid?" (Psalm 27:1).

BERNICE ROWE, Niagara Falls, Ont.

"Thou wilt shew me the path of life: in Thy presence is fulness of joy: at Thy right hand there are pleasures for evermore" (Psalm 16:11).

Testimony Series

"YE SHALL BE WITNESSES"

By Mrs. Major Bryant

## 8.—THE RUNNER

IT was a simple enough matter to "show his colors" to the rest of his college associates for they were all, like him, students together of divine things, and looking forward to a future in the ministry.

He was also an athlete, with a reputation as a runner. His hopes for securing enough money to carry him through his college years, had probably had something to do with his running the race for which he was in training.

The great day came. The competitors lined up before a large crowd of onlookers, waiting for the start of the race. A few moments before the starting signal, spectators were astonished as well as awed to see one of the runners kneel down and offer prayer. It was the divinity student! A few seconds later the signal was given and the runners sprinted forward, each trying to forge ahead into first place.

With mounting excitement the crowd watched as the young man who had prayed, slowly made his way into first place. Right up to within the last yard he maintained his position, then, with an added spurt of effort, the second man won the race.

Disappointed? Well, perhaps many in the huge crowd wondered why he had lost it when he was so close. But they overlooked something. He had won a great spiritual victory before the race was run. He

had unashamedly acknowledged before that immense crowd his dependence upon God, even in a sporting event!

Was it strange therefore that out of all the interesting incidents surrounding the race, the radio commentator should highlight the kneeling figure of the student, talking with his God before the great crowd of onlookers ere the race began?

## "THY WORD IS LIGHT"

GOLDEN GLEAMS  
from the  
SACRED PAGE

## Be An Example

LET no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity.

Meditate upon these things; give thyself wholly to them; that thy profiting may appear to all.

Take heed unto thyself, and unto the doctrine; continue in them: for in doing this thou shalt both save thyself, and them that hear thee.

Timothy 4:12, 15 and 16.

## Do You Know The Answer To These Questions?

1. Who was Lebbaeus Thaddaeus?
2. Who, tempting Jesus, said to Him: "Master, we would see a sign from Thee?"
3. How many of these statements are correct? (i) Jonathan out-lived David. (ii) The five wise virgins gave oil to the five foolish virgins. (iii) The Lord told Habakkuk that "the just shall live by his faith." (iv) Paul told the Ephesians that all things would be known to them by Epaphroditus.
4. Which is the only Gospel to record the parable of the Pharisee and the publican?
5. How old was Joseph when his brethren sold him to the Ishme-lites?
6. To what does the Bible liken the laughter of foolish persons?
7. During the siege of Samaria food became exceedingly scarce. How much did the head of an ass cost? (Answers at foot of column)

MARGARET SOPER, Point St. Charles.

"God is my salvation; I will trust and not be afraid, for the Lord is my strength" (Isaiah 12:2).

FLOSSIE UZICK, Melville, Sask.

"He knoweth the way that I take" (Job 23:10).

EVLVN WAGNER, Vancouver Heights.

"In quietness and in confidence shall be your strength" (Isaiah 30:15).

LILLIAN WALKER, Lisgar St., Toronto.

"I am crucified with Christ, nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me" (Galatians 2:20).

MIRIAM WALKER, Calgary Citadel.

"Humble yourselves in the sight of the Lord and He will lift you up" (Jas. 4:10).

LILLIAN WASTELL, Kitchener.

"Not by might, nor by power, but by My Spirit, saith the Lord of hosts" (Zech. 4:6).

HAZEL WATERSTON, North Toronto.

"All my life is at His service, All my choice to share His cross; I am His to do or suffer, All beside I count but dross."

HARRIETTE WELLS, Gleichen Eventide Home.

"When thou passest through the waters, I will be with thee" (Isaiah 43:2).

EVELYN WILLETT, Lisgar St.

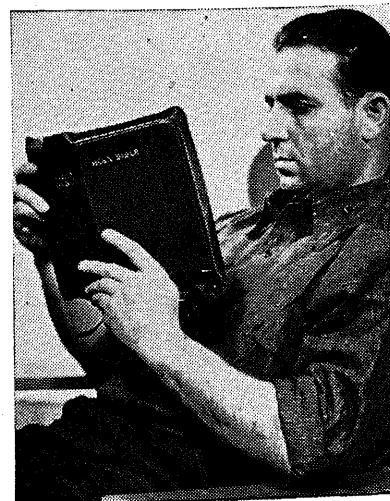
"And, behold, God Himself is with us for our captain" (1 Chron. 13:5).

MILDRED WILLIAMSON, Peterboro Temple.

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## ANSWERS

1. One of the twelve Apostles (See Matt. 10:3.)
2. Scribes and Pharisees. (See Matt. 12:38; Mark 8:11.)
3. One. (See Habakkuk 1:4.)
4. Luke, chapter 18.
5. Seventeen. (Genesis 37:2.)
6. Cracking of thorns under a pot. (Eccles. 7:6.)
7. Eighty pieces of silver, about \$45.60. (2 Kings 6:25.)





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# "Tombac" Money

## How Canada Saves Valuable Nickel at the Royal Mint

THE Royal Canadian Mint plans to save sixty tons of nickel annually with the revival of the historic 12-sided design for Canada's new "Victory Nickel." Made of six metals, the new nickel combines the symbolic "V" motif with the Torch of Sacrifice. The 12-sided design dates back to the Middle Ages and is still used for some English coins.

The first step in producing the new coins is the cutting of dies. Skilled engravers make a meticulous check before dies are hardened. Working dies are punched by a 500-ton power driven press. Bullion to be worked on is checked on balances carrying up to 3,500 troy ounces and turning to the one-hundredth part of an ounce. The finished work at the end of the day, plus bullion retrieved from the floor dust, must equal that received. The molten metal is poured into moulds for subsequent rolling into strips. At 2,000 degrees of heat, asbestos apron and water-soaked mitts must be worn.

In 1938 the Mint produced 30,000,000 good coins; in 1942, working 24 hours daily, seven days a week, these have increased to 108,000,000 pieces.

The gold color of the coin is obtained by a process of acid-dipping followed by a wash in aluminum collanders. Gauged by an accuracy of one one-thousandth of an inch, a cutting machine punches out blank coins at the rate of 300 a minute. The new coin is made of "Tombac" alloy. The word is from Malay "Tombaga," used as imitation gold jewellery in the East Indies. Coins are examined by a mint expert through a magnifying glass and receive a final minute inspection before they leave the mint. The slightest flaw or chemical stain brings immediate rejection.

## ODDMENTS and ODDITIES

**B**ACTERIA can be both friend and foe. For instance, *Aspergillus niger* is used in the production of citric, gluconic and gallic acids, while at the same time it is one of three types of bacteria which spoil bread, dried and candied fruits, and grain and cereal products.

Oranges have long been known for their Vitamin C content. Research workers now tell us that red currant juice has just as much of this vitamin, and black currant juice has twice as much. More recently, Russian scientists tell us that the walnut contains 20 to 60 times as much Vitamin C as orange juice.

Advances in the application of scientific knowledge coupled with the use of mechanical equipment have created almost a revolution in agriculture. It required 57 man-hours to produce an acre of wheat 15 years ago; in 1940 it took four man-hours.

Plastic-impregnated fabric bags are being used to bring gasoline to front lines in combat areas for tanks, trucks and aircraft.

Some 600 tons of guayule rubber are expected from 4,000 tons of shrubs gathered from a 550-acre plantation owned by the United States Government in California and now being processed.

Some of the early evidences of iron-smelting furnaces were found in the valley of the Nile.

More than 140 new varieties of grain, oil seeds and leguminous plants were cultivated last year by 50 Soviet state selection stations.

## THE PUNCTUAL PRESIDENT

**G**EORGE WASHINGTON was a fiend for punctuality as attested by "Lives of the Presidents," a volume by John S. C. Abbott: "His dining hour was at 4 o'clock when he always sat down at his table, whether his guests were assembled or not. To those who came late, he remarked, 'Gentlemen, we are punctual here; my cook never asks whether the company has arrived, but whether the hour has.'"

## SOUTHWESTERN SILHOUETTE



Silhouetted against the sunset, a New Mexican cowboy gazes out toward the rolling Black Range Mountains, and a cactus traces its outline on a sky of shadows

## CLIPPER vs COLUMBUS

### A Striking Example of Oceanic Crossing Speeds

**A**CROSS the Atlantic twice in one day is the startling record set recently by the captain of a Pan-American Airways Clipper. It was the first time a commercial plane had made the round trip in one day.

The great winged ship left Natal, Brazil, flew to a West African port, and returned to Brazil in 23 hours and 59 minutes.

It is interesting to recall that Christopher Columbus needed more than two months to make a one-way trip! That was five hundred years ago—and who can predict the time it will take to cross the Atlantic when another five hundred years have passed?



Rayon cord plays an essential part in the building of an automobile tire. Thousands of spools of rayon in this reel room are woven into the fabric which forms the base of the tire. Each spool is connected by a complicated pulley arrangement to the bank of cords seen in the centre of the picture, and travels overhead to reach that bank

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## CINDERELLA OF THE FOREST

### Western Hemlock Outgrows the Reputation of Its Inferior Eastern Relatives

**H**EMLOCK, long the Cinderella of the British Columbia forests, is being raised to the position among timber trees to which it is entitled on its merits.

The best timber for airplanes is said to be the Sitka spruce, found in great abundance and in fine stands on the Queen Charlotte Islands. But British Columbia hemlock has been given a classification second only to spruce as a material for the manufacture of aircraft. The hemlock that is to go into airplanes must, of course, be top-grade. There is a very plentiful supply in the British Columbia woods, much of it of high quality.

British Columbia hemlock has always been a wood of fine quality, adaptable for many uses. But it has suffered from the reputation of its relatives, it is said. The eastern hemlock, a plentiful species in the original forests of Ontario, Quebec, and the eastern United States, is a rough and splintery wood. It was largely used in early day for cheap buildings, axe handles, and rough construction, and, because of the uses to which it was put, was not highly regarded. When an effort was made to market western hemlock nobody wanted it because it was thought to be of the same quality as its eastern cousin. So, though it is capable of taking a fine finish and is excellent for construction when not exposed to the weather, it was rejected and left to the pulp manufacturer. Recently, under the trade name, Alaska White Pine, it has been gaining prestige. Now it moves very nearly to the top, much to the satisfaction of Western lumber men.

**T**HERE is one scintillating event in The Army's date - studded calendar that never fails to stir the heart, fire the imagination, and set the pulse speeding. No one need enquire as to what this occurrence might be, for every front-line Salvationist knows. It is the Annual Commissioning of Cadets—that lively infusion of new blood so vitally necessary to a Cause in which the fighting is desperate and the wounds many and severe.

For while physical conflict is admittedly grim and terrifying, yet intensive spiritual aggression taxes the soul's resources to the utmost and requires qualities of a character not less, and perhaps more, than that possessed by brain and brawn, bone and muscle. "For," asserts Paul, "we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against wickedness in high places"; making necessary the assembling of the impervious equipment of "the whole armor of God."

As with carnal fleshly warfare, in addition to equipment, spiritual battles call for an unusual brand of courage and stout-heartedness, and The Army's ceaseless assault on the forts of darkness requires the employment of every art and device as well as holding aloft the standard under all sorts of conditions, in season and out of season. Sings discerning old John Bunyan, whose inspired symbolism portrays so faithfully the requisites of the questing soldier of Christ:

*Who would true valor see,  
Let him come hither;  
One here will constant be,  
Come wind, come weather,*

*There's no discouragement  
Shall make him once relent  
His first avow'd intent*

*To be a pilgrim.  
No lion can him fright,  
He'll with a giant fight:  
But he will have a right  
To be a pilgrim.*

And who have a better right to wear the accolade of the knightly-pilgrim than they who have obeyed their Leader's injunction and have left all to follow Him, come what may? These, too, are given honorable mention by the writer of the Hebrews in his superb word-portrait of the heroes of faith:

*"Who through faith subdued kingdoms, wrought righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions. Quenched the violence of fire, escaped the edge of the sword, out of weakness were made strong, waxed VALIANT in fight, turned to flight the armies of the aliens."*

**T**HUS it happened that sixty-four\* Cadets, known as the "Valiant" Session, having passed through an eight-month period of intensive and "toughening" training at The Army's Training College, came up to Commissioning Night with eager, expectant hearts and glowing countenances to receive their charge to march forth as Officers to front-line positions in The Salvation Army battlefield. What a sight was this to make veterans applaud, angels to sing and devils to gnash their teeth! What a theme of rejoicing for throngs of the Redeemed gazing over Heaven's lofty embattlements!

Massey Hall, traditional place of Canadian Commissionings, was not

\*A married woman-Cadet was commissioned before Christmas and is now serving on the Field, making the total 65.

available for use on this occasion, but Eaton Auditorium, College and Yonge Streets, not far distant, made an excellent substitute; in some respects an improvement on the older hall, except that its accommodation is limited to just under 2,000 seats. The well-appointed auditorium and stage, however, is modern and comfortable, and the acoustics perfect.

What a night of jubilation it was! Thrills without spills and inspiration without frustration! All went like the proverbial marriage bell. Only one thing dimmed the proceedings and that was the enforced absence of the Territorial Commander, Commissioner B. Orames, who because of the uncertainties of wartime travel was unable to reach Canada in time, much as this undoubtedly was his desire.

Presiding on the Commissioner's behalf at the gathering was the Chief Secretary, Colonel G. W. Peacock, supported by Mrs. Peacock, the Training Principal, Lieut.-Colonel Robert Hoggard, Mrs. Hoggard, the Territorial Staff, and Training College Officers. A group of Advisory Board members and Army friends occupied a section of seats in front of the modern, spacious, and well-equipped stage.



Section of the large crowd in attendance at the "Valiant" Session.

## Commissioned For SIXTY-FOUR "VALIANTS" ENTER NE

Stirring strains of music played by Earls Court Citadel Band, directed by Bandmaster J. Robbins, heralded the spectacular entry of the "Valiants," in whose ranks women predominated due to wartime circumstances, but nevertheless striding

along with alert precision in perfect step. Preceded by banner-bearers and Training Officers two columns approached the platform and participated in a salute to the Flag of Empire and The Army Flag, held respectively by a representative of the armed forces and a Salvationist.

Following this colorful episode, the great congregation which stretched away into the foyer of the auditorium, sang the National Anthem with enthusiastic fervor. A rousing Army war song faded into a hush as the Field Secretary, Lieut.-Colonel F. C. Ham, offered prayer. Mrs. Lieut.-Colonel Hoggard read from the Scriptures Paul's prayer for Christian warriors: "That Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith . . . being rooted and grounded in love."

Introduced by the Training Principal in suitable terms the Chief Secretary, using the voice-amplifier with which the auditorium is well supplied, greeted the large audience and paid tribute to the support given The Army by the many friends, including prominent citizens, present. He voiced the general regret evinced on all sides that



## The Dedication Service

**T**O hear beautiful words set to beautiful music and beautifully sung is a joy. Add to this the fact that the words so expressed are a sacred pledge of consecration to a holy office and the significance is doubled and the joy intensified. Thus did the Cadets of the "Valiant" Session impress the witnesses of their Dedication Service in the Temple on Monday afternoon. The Chief Secretary, Colonel G. W. Peacock, conducted this impressive assembly, assisted by the Training Principal and the members of the College staff.

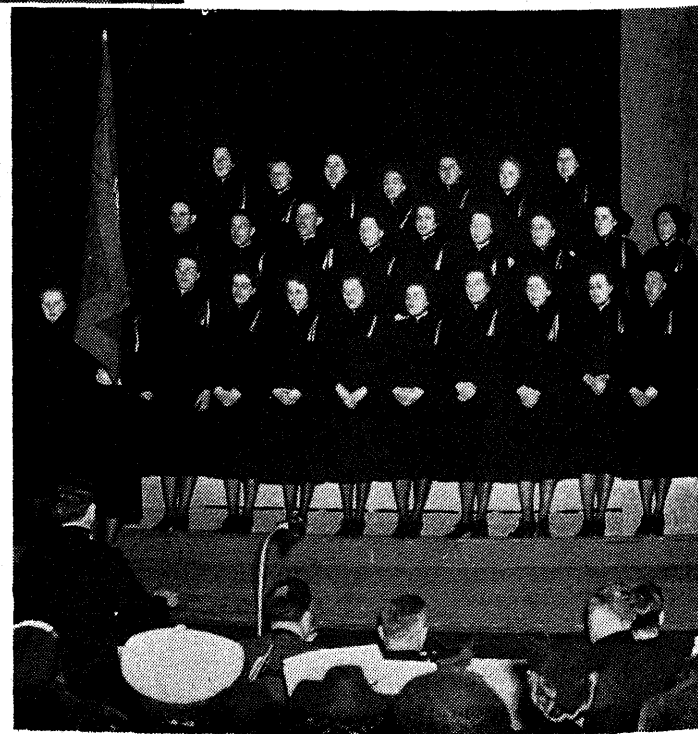
Solemn and sacred it was throughout, but with an undertone of happiness born of the consciousness of the Holy Spirit's acceptance of the consummation of the early vows and preparatory training of these young people. Therefore the songs were sung with verve and the prayers offered were sincere petitions that the future would be marked with glorious conquests for these embryo Officers. The Women's Field Training Officer, Major E.

Burnell, voiced the opening prayer which included requests for the parents of the members of the session.

From the writings of the Apostle Paul to Timothy, Mrs. Colonel Peacock selected forceful words of challenge which in themselves constituted a mission to stir adventure-loving young hearts.

The Declaration of Faith was to be recited in unison, but to denote each one's individual acceptance of the vow, Lieut.-Colonel Hoggard requested the Side Officers, Major Ada Irwin, and Major Frank Moulton, to call the roll, inviting the Cadets to stand as indication of their willingness to accede. Having assented, the Chief Secretary proceeded with compassionate fervor to charge the Cadets to be faithful to their holy office and sacred purpose. The Declaration was repeated and the affirmation asked. Each one answered unwaveringly, "We do." In the ensuing hushed atmosphere, Lieut.-Colonel Ham offered the dedicatory prayer.

Above:  
On behalf of the Territorial Commander, Commissioner B. Orames, recently engaged in inspecting The Army's War Work overseas, the Chief Secretary, Colonel G. W. Peacock, is shown handing a group of "Valiants" their commissions and appointments





and paid tribute to all who had lent generous aid in instructing the Cadets. Despite wartime rationing they had held their own and more in development of physique, and most important of all had developed in spiritual growth. "We have every reason to be proud of the deportment shown by these young Canadians," he said. "They are like Salvation Commandos, ready to go to the hottest part of the battlefield and willing to do the duties assigned to them," he declared.

Representative of the youthful group occupying the tiered seats on the stage, and over whose heads was suspended a mammoth shield displaying the legend "Valiants," two members of the Session now addressed the tense audience. Cadet Joseph Craig, from Peterboro, gave a number of glimpses into Training College life and concluded with a ringing testimony. Cadet Gladys McGregor, from Regina Northside, enumerated some of the benefits received during Training days and echoed Isaiah's stirring response to God's call, "Here am I, Lord; send me."

The share held by the parents of the Cadets, many of whom had gone to considerable trouble and sacrifice in order to make Training possible

## The General's Message TO THE NEW OFFICERS

**A**MONG the many joys when revisiting Canada last year was that of meeting the Cadets at the Training College. Frequently, I am led to praise God that in all parts of the world, He is calling young Salvationists to the fight against sin and to devotion to Christ our Redeemer.

Many of you I saw pleading with souls in the Congress meetings, and I rejoice to recall how you threw yourselves valiantly into the Midnight Campaigns. These memories gladden my heart as I anticipate your warfare in the coming days.

What is transpiring in the world is an insistent Call to God's people, young and old, to yield themselves in reckless abandon to the work of Salvation. I believe, my dear comrades, that you will respond to that Call. Remember the Lord's assuring word to that valiant soul, Gideon: "Go in this thy might; have not I sent Thee."

Mrs. Carpenter joins with me in faith, hope and love.

Your affectionate General,

International Headquarters,  
London, England.

*W. B. Carpenter*

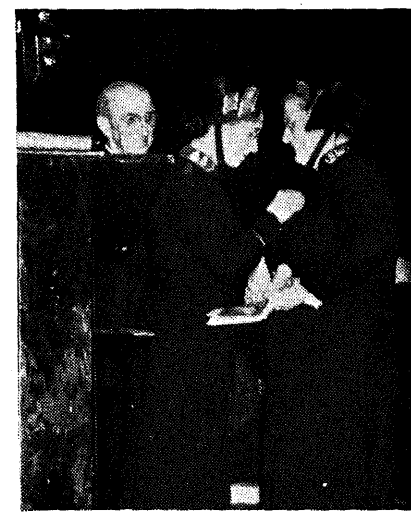
**C**AME then the great and exciting moment of the evening, when sixty-four Cadets, with sprightly steps in rhythm with music, and with thumping hearts, marched to the platform centre to receive their commissions and appointments in the name of the General, and of the Territorial Commander, at the hands of the Chief Secretary. As group followed group, round followed round of applause from the enthusiastic onlookers new history, without a doubt, was made in Eaton Auditorium.

Said the Chief Secretary in a comprehensive charge to the newly-commissioned Officers: "You go to minister to the wants of the weary, the hungry of the heart-sick, the wanderings of the wayward; to the errors of the erring and the sorrows of the sinning. You go to dry the eyes of the sad, to clasp the hand of the despairing, to untangle the problems of the perplexed, to comfort the broken-hearted, to lift your voice against all wrong. You go to tell all men, prince and peasant, those of noble birth and dwellers of the gutter that

"Jesus is merciful, Jesus will save!" Few moments were left and the hour was growing late. The new Officers sang in consecration, "O Master, let me walk with Thee," and the meeting was brought to a

close with a prayer of dedication offered by the Financial Secretary, Colonel J. Tyndall.

Among others taking part during the evening were Lieut.-Colonel R. Spooner, Divisional Commander for



Representing mothers of the Cadets, Sister Mrs. Delamont, Earls Court, receives a Silver Star pin from Mrs. Colonel Peacock

Toronto Division, and the Men's Social and Property Secretary, Lieut.-Colonel J. Merritt.

Appointments of the new Officers will be found on page 12.

## Farewell Sunday In Toronto

**A**MID the heartfelt approval of a host of parents, Officers and comrades and to the martial music played by the Band, the "Valiant" Session marched on to Riverdale Citadel's tiered platform for the first of the public farewell meetings held on Sunday, May 9, and conducted by the Chief Secretary. With the Cadets were Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Hoggard and the Training Officers.

A striking contrast was offered in the appearance and deportment of the "finished products" to the young men and women who were welcomed in the same setting a few months ago. Absent loved ones would have rejoiced in the self-possession of achievement exhibited by each Cadet.

Appropriate mention was made by the Chief Secretary of Mother's Day, and the Cadets, led by Major F. Moulton, sang a delightful rendition. The Divisional Commander, Lieut.-Colonel R. Spooner, expressed gratitude for the Cadets' service in Toronto training Corps. Adjutant G. Robinson petitioned the Throne of Grace on behalf of the meeting and the Cadets, and the Field Secretary, Lieut.-Colonel F. C. Ham, read from Corinthians in-

cluding the strengthening promise to those set apart for God, "And I will be a Father unto you, and ye shall be My sons and daughters, saith the Lord Almighty."

Especially pleasing was the concise, well-spoken and God-honoring witness of Cadet I. Powell, of Nelson, B.C., and Cadet E. Peacocke, of Riverdale. Introducing Cadet Powell, the Principal referred to the excellent contribution which Nelson Corps had made to the Session: the Senior Sergeant-Major, Cadet A. Longden; the Bandmaster, Cadet S. Nahirney; and the Young People's Sergeant-Major, Cadet Powell, who now told of his decision to serve Christ wholly in the path of Holiness. Cadet Peacocke, in glowing expressiveness spoke of the faithfulness of God.

Regret for the unavoidable absence of the Commissioner prefaced the Chief Secretary's remarks which focussed around the possibility of the pure in heart enjoying fellowship and partnership with Christ. "Close association with God," said the Colonel, "is a requisite of soul-winning." In forthright explanations of the revealed Word,

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at the "Valiant" Commissioning Service in Eaton Auditorium, Toronto

## For Their Life's Work IN NEW FIELDS OF SERVICE AS OFFICERS

Commissioner Oram was not present in person to assume charge of the meeting, and pictured him at that moment, wherever he chanced to be, projecting his thoughts Toronto-wards.

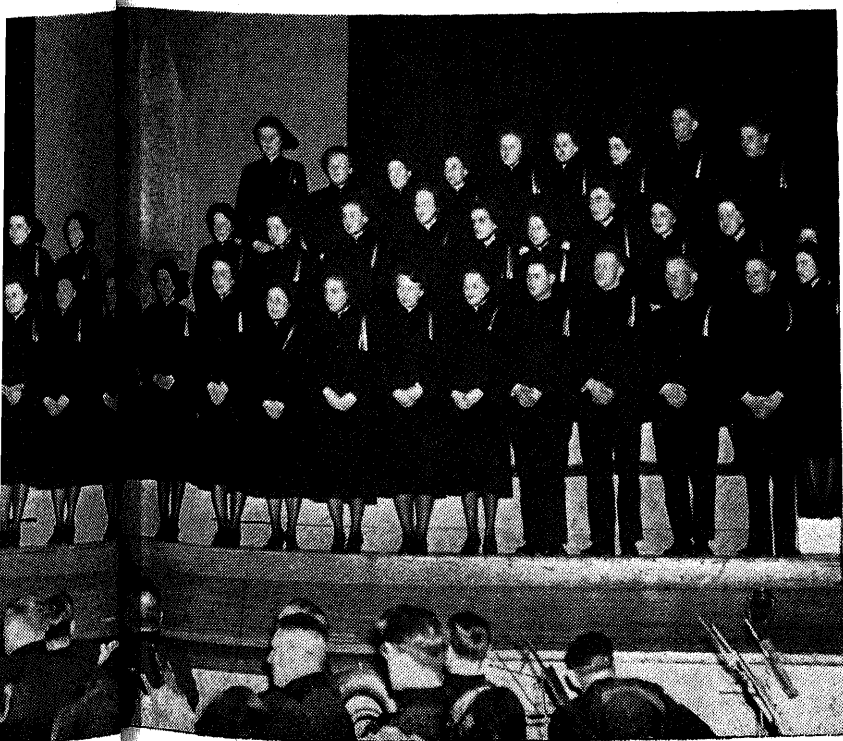
Mention was also made of many interested Salvationists not able to be present, and messages from Red Shield Supervisors (per Major C. D. Wiseman) in Britain, the "Valiant" Session of Cadets in Newfoundland (Major and Mrs. Genery) and other well-wishers were read. Explanation was also made that the name "Valiant" applied to The Army's Training Sessions throughout the world.

The Training Principal in presenting the Sessional Report, reviewed the "Valiants" activities in the College and out, varying the statistics (appearing on page three) with well-told incidents. The Cadets, he affirmed, had chosen a hard but high road of service, but the Cross to them was the attraction. "They are going out to proclaim the greatest of all Friends, the Lord Jesus Christ," he said.

The speaker referred interestingly to both theoretical and practical aspects of the Training curriculum

for their sons and daughters, was next visualized, when a representative mother, Sister Mrs. Delamont, Earls Court, was presented with the Order of the Silver Star, in a pleasing ceremony, by the Chief Secretary, assisted by Mrs. Colonel Peacock. Each of the mothers of the Cadets would be similarly presented in her own community, it was explained.

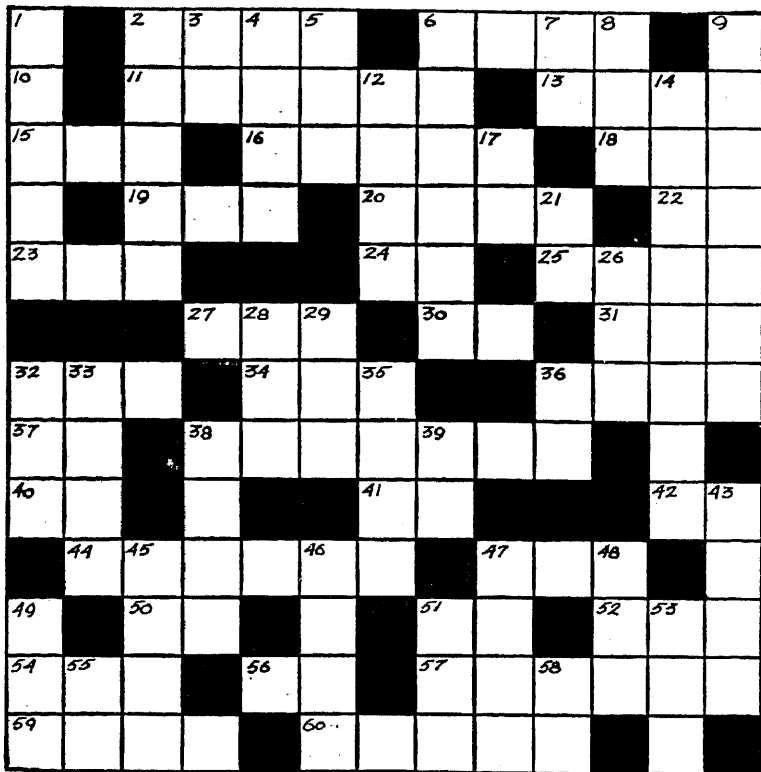
Spectacular and excellently-executed, the next item on the program was a pictorial presentation entitled, "Milestones of Human Progress," directed by Captain Arnold Brown, in which a group of Territorial Headquarters Officers, with the aid of colorful lighting effects, impersonated a number of famous "Valiants" of the past, including such worthies as King John and the Magna Carta, Abraham Lincoln, Martin Luther, David Livingstone, Nurse Edith Cavell and other historic figures. Fanfares were sounded at intervals and music played by Adjutant C. Everitt, on the auditorium's magnificent organ, helped to make the pageant an impressive and enjoyable part of the gathering. There were still, however, further notable events on the way.



Left: Toward the conclusion of an impressive pageant depicting "Valiants" of the Past, the modern "Valiants" rose and sang "Faith of Our Fathers" with thrilling effect

## BIBLE CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Bible Teachings—"Praise"



"Let every thing that hath breath praise the Lord. Praise ye the Lord."—Ps. 150:6.

**HORIZONTAL**

2 "will . . . praise to the name of the Lord" Ps. 7:17

6 "praise thee among . . . people" Ps. 35:18

10 "I will extol thee, . . . Lord" Ps. 30:1

11 "make his . . . glorious" Ps. 68:2

13 "Christ both died, and . . ." Rom. 14:9

15 Son of Hur. Ex. 31:2

16 Dinners

18 Greek letter

19 "every morning to thank and praise . . . Lord" I Chron. 23:30

20 "praise to the . . . God of Israel" Judg. 5:3

22 Revised version

23 "the glory . . . unto his name" Ps. 29:2

24 "called the altar . . ." Josh. 22:34

25 "truth shall make you . . ." John 8:32

27 "let . . . the people praise thee" Ps. 67:3

30 "Praise . . . the Lord" Ps. 146:1

31 "no room for them in the . . ." Luke 2:7

32 "said, . . . our eye hath seen it" Ps. 35:21

34 Snake-like fish

36 "Give not that which is holy unto the . . ." Matt. 7:6

37 Western Continent

38 "O let the . . . be glad" Ps. 67:4

40 365 days

41 Northeastern State

42 Hectometer; His Majesty

44 " . . . him for his mighty acts" Ps. 150:2

47 "praise . . . in the firmament of his power" Ps. 150:1

50 Place Abram lived before going to Canaan. Gen. 11:28

51 One third of eighty

52 "when he is . . . he will not depart" Prov. 22:8

54 "of thy praise . . . the day long" Ps. 35:28

56 "praise him, all . . . stars of light" Ps. 148:3

57 "O bless our God, ye . . ." Ps. 68:8

59 "praise thy name for . . ." Ps. 145:2

60 "Make a joyful . . . unto God" Ps. 66:1

Our text is 10, 11, 19, 20, 27, 30, 38, 44, 47, 54, 56 and 57 combined

## VERTICAL

1 "Praise him with the . . . of the trumpet" Ps. 150:3

2 "beholdest mischief and . . ." Ps. 10:14

3 A Benjamite. I Chron. 7:12

4 "they shall sing to thy . . ." Ps. 66:4

5 Give (Scot.)

6 "making . . . in your heart" Eph. 5:19

7 Credit

8 Garden tool

9 "Praise ye the Lord from the . . ." Ps. 148:1

12 "count the years of the . . . thereof" Lev. 25:27

14 "go in the . . . of the Lord God" Ps. 71:16

17 Senior

21 Dean of the Faculty

26 River (Sp.)

28 Meadow

29 " . . . the saints be joyful in glory" Ps. 149:5

32 "if . . . of you lack wisdom," Jas. 1:5

33 "praise him with the psaltery and . . ." Ps. 150:3

35 "While I . . . will I praise the Lord" Ps. 146:2

36 From the sign (music)

38 "call ye upon him while he is . . ." Isa. 55:6

39 Old Testament

43 "Let Israel rejoice in him that . . . him" Ps. 149:2

45 "let the peace of God . . . in your hearts" Col. 3:15

46 "mine eyes have . . . the King" Isa. 6:5

47 Hastens

48 Floor cleaner

49 Toe (Scot.)

51 Roof final

53 Bachelor of Laws

55 Livres

58 Diphthong

## R. S. W. A.

NOTES BY  
THE TERRITORIAL SECRETARY  
MRS. COLONEL PEACOCK

**H**ARD-WORKING R.S.W.A. members from Welland, Ont., have sent excellent shipments to the Centre. Mrs. Captain McDowell states that a member who last summer became almost blind, did not want to spoil any Red Shield wool by practising on it, so she carefully unpicked a wool rug, washed the wool thus salvaged, and made it up into children's wear which was sent along to the Red Shield. In that way she accustomed herself so well to knitting under the new and difficult conditions that she is now able to knit again for the troops. This is a real labor of love.

Sister Mrs. McKay had the privilege of conducting the Easter

## Answer to Last Week's Puzzle

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week-end meetings at St. Thomas, Ont. On the Monday afternoon there was a very fine display of the work done by Red Shield members. The walls of the rooms were decorated with a display of quilts, and tables were filled with dainty baby garments, children's dresses and other garments for boys and girls of all ages. Among the quilts was an especially attractive one which had in large red letters the words, "ST. THOMAS HOSTESS HOUSE AUXILIARY"; a large red "V" in the centre, surrounded with green maple leaves, and which bore the names of many friends who had contributed.

The Hostess House Supervisor, Mrs. Major Medler, speaks highly of the women who comprise the Auxiliary there. It is composed of servicemen's wives who are happy to work in this way. Of interest is

the fact that in the last few months fourteen airmen and their brides have spent their honeymoon at the Hostess House. Which is not to be wondered at for this "home away from home" is very attractive. On Monday night a fine program was given, and Mrs. McKay spoke to the interested audience on The Army's war work. Mrs. Major Bond spoke highly of the workers in St. Thomas.

Owing to exigencies of the war we are sorry to announce that there will be no wool until July 1. This is something over which we have no control and all other organizations are battling against the same difficulties. I would advise that we make use of every ounce of wool. Older garments can be ripped, washed, and the wool used again.

## MINIATURE MESSAGES

(Continued from page 6)

"Be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might: put on the whole armor of God" (Eph. 6: 10-11).

THELMA WORTHYLAKE, Truro, N.S.

"For a great door and effectual is opened unto me" (1 Cor. 16:9).

EILEEN WREN, Sarnia, Ont.

"And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God" (Rom. 8:28).

WILLIAM CAREY, Vancouver, B.C.

"Now none but Christ can satisfy."

HAROLD CLIFFORD, Petrolia, Ont.

"Never a Friend like Jesus!"

JOSEPH CRAIG, Peterboro, Ont.

"To serve the present age,

My calling to fulfil;

Oh, may it all my powers engage,

To do my Master's will!

CECIL GOODWIN, Amherst, N.S.

"He is my refuge and my fortress"

(Psalm 91:2).

ROBERT HAMMOND, Lethbridge, Alta.

"The secret of the Lord its with them that fear Him; and he will shew them His covenant" (Psalm 25:14).

ALBERT LONGDEN, Nelson, B.C.

"The cross is not greater than His grace."

SAM MAHIRNEY, Nelson, B.C.

"I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me" (Phil. 4:13).

HOWARD NICHOL, Tisdale, Sask.

"My grace is sufficient for thee; for my strength is made perfect in weakness"

(2 Cor. 12:9).

THOMAS POWELL, Nelson, B.C.

"The values that are everlasting are spiritual."

M. REIMER SMITH, Drumheller, Alta.

"True joy is found alone in God's service."

BRYANT STEVENS, Kingston, Ont.

"Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on Thee" (Isa. 26:3).

JAMES SUTHERLAND, Windsor, Ont.

## METROPOLIS MEMBERS

Unite For Home League Rally

**O**N Wednesday afternoon, April 14, the Montreal Citadel auditorium was occupied by two hundred members of the Home League, who had availed themselves of the opportunity of hearing the Territorial Home League Secretary, Mrs. Lieut.-Colonel Ham. The meeting was under the guidance of the Divisional Secretary, Mrs. Lieut.-Colonel Best. An interesting and revealing report was read by Mrs. Ham, who, in her address, urged the women present to fall in step with the demands of the times and prove that Home Leagues can meet the emergencies which arise in their communities.

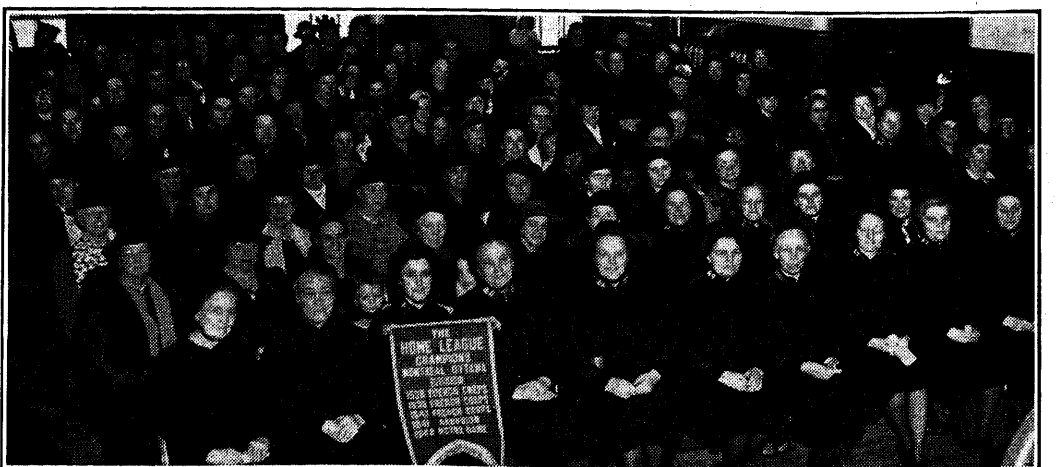
## Presentation of Shield

A special feature of this gathering was the presentation of the Divisional Shield, which was won by the Notre Dame West Home

League. Applause greeted Adjutant D. Bateman, the Corps Officer, as she went to the platform to receive the award. This League's "special" chorus, "Give me faith, mighty faith," was led by Lieutenant Hunt, and soon proved to be popular with all present. Mrs. Brigadier Ellsworth opened the meeting with prayer, and Cap-

Section of the large crowd attending the Montreal Home League Rally

tain and Mrs. M. Rankin, of Verdun, rendered a pleasing vocal duet. Home League Secretary Sister Mrs. Cooper, of Point St. Charles, led the responsive Bible reading.

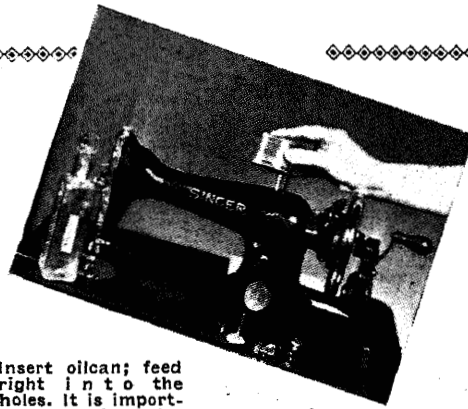




# SERVICE

## YOUR SEWING MACHINE

This Article Tells How To Prolong  
the Life and Usefulness of an Old  
and Valued Friend



Insert oil can; feed right in to the holes. It is important to oil holes when take-up lever is at its lowest point

**A**N hour spent periodically in thoroughly cleaning and overhauling a sewing machine is well repaid in easy running and neat work. If the machine is in constant use it should be oiled every week, and in any case, the movable parts should never be allowed to become dry. After oiling, the machine should be run rapidly for a few minutes (before threading up, of course) and then given a good wipe over with a clean rag to remove any surplus oil. Before putting good work on the machine it is safest to stitch an odd piece of rag after oiling, in case a spot of oil has collected on the feeding or needle mechanism.

If the machine appears to run stiffly it is usually a sign that inferior oil has been used. Only the very best and lightest machine oil should be put into a sewing machine.

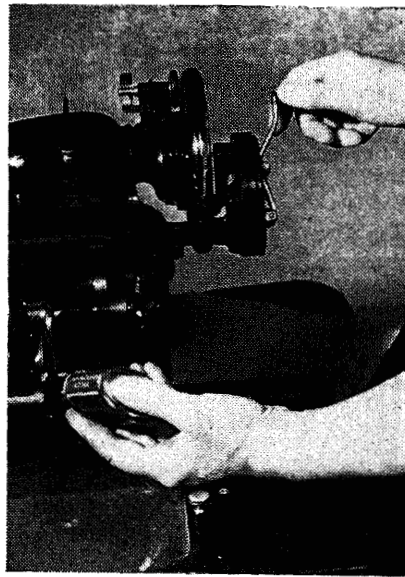
To get rid of the old, clogged, dusty oil, pour some benzine or paraffin into an oil can and squirt this into the usual oil holes. Leave it for half an hour to soften the dirty oil, then, after pinning up a sheet of paper behind the machine to stop any oil spurting out on to walls or furniture, run the machine very

oiled. If yours is a treadle machine, the axles of the large wheel and treadle should be oiled, also both ends of the rod which connects the treadle with the large wheel. Be very careful not to get the oil on the belt itself.

Learn how to regulate the tension of your machine, so that it can be adjusted for bias seams, for instance, which require a light tension. The lock of the stitch should not be visible either on the right or wrong side of the work, and if it does appear the tension needs regulating. If the lock of the stitch appears on the top of the work, the needle thread tension is too strong, and to remedy this the thumb nut on the needle-threading mechanism should be slightly unscrewed. If the lock of the stitch appears under-

needle will hit the needle plate and break, and perhaps damage the needle mechanism. A blunt needle will catch the threads of the material.

Here are some minor troubles and their possible causes. Breaking thread is usually due to incorrect threading up of the machine, inferior thread, too tight a tension or a



Lift the head of the machine to clean and oil the moving parts underneath. Turn the wheel slowly, and at the same time, clean and oil carefully between all joints

bent needle. If the bobbin thread breaks continually, this may be due to scraps of cotton or fluff round the bobbin case, or the under tension needing adjustment. Sometimes the presence of cotton round the bobbin case will jam the machine altogether. If your machine is the type which carries the bobbin horizontally and it is impossible to extract fluff merely with the bobbin removed, it is necessary to take out the bobbin itself by inserting two fingers inside it, pressing and turning slightly at the same time. The vertical type of bobbin-holder, carried under the needle plate, is best removed from underneath by lifting the head of the machine. Sometimes the outer casing of the bobbin-holder has to be unscrewed to get at cotton ends which have become jammed in the bobbin race, in this type of machine. If the needle breaks, the top tension may be too tight, or the needle may be bent. Puckering material or looped stitching is usually due to incorrect tensions.

It is important that the correct size of needles and cotton should be chosen for the type of work to be machined, and good quality of both is essential. Here is a rough guide to assist you as to sizes:

For very thin and fine materials, size 9 needle and No. 100 to 150 cotton. For sheeting, calico, damask, shirting and average weight cotton materials, use size 14 needle and No. 60 to 80 cotton. For light-weight wool, heavy linens or heavy silk, size 16 needle and 40 cotton, or 16 to 18 silk. For heavy woollens, coarse heavy cottons such as bed-ticking, etc., use size 19 needle and 24 to 30 cotton.

### TIPS ON SAVING TIN CANS

- 1 Wash cans thoroughly after emptying contents. Remove paper labels.
- 2 Open cans, bottoms as well as tops. Tuck in tops and bottoms.
- 3 Flatten cans by stepping on them. Leave enough space between flattened sides to see through them. Do not flatten cans by hammering.
- 4 Keep your "prepared cans" in a suitable container (basket, box barrel) separate from trash, until collection day for your district.

### SLEEP INDUCERS

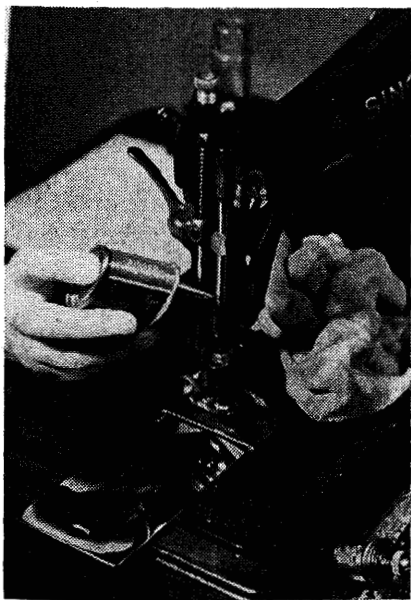
**H**ERE are a few rules compiled by a United States Medical Board for Americans who want to sleep well. Cut down the intensity of your thinking half an hour before bed. Take plenty of time to go to bed. If you read in bed (better not) choose a hard book to read. Transplant your mind from annoyances, especially those that make you angry. Make your mind leap from one idea to another. Go to bed a little chilly. Relax the muscles. Get rested before going to sleep. Therefore go to bed early.

### SUFFERING

The precious uncut diamond caught no rays,  
Nor sent such forth in splendor radiant,  
Until the artist sharply cleft its form,  
Polished its facets, rubbed forth its glory!  
Soon it caught the gleams of the burning sun,  
Threw forth a million orbs in such a way,  
A world amazed cried out, "What hath man wrought!"

A human soul was one of many souls  
Until The Artist polished it with pain,  
Carved new facets to catch the Light of God,  
And gave it depth and a glow through suffering!  
Soon God was reflected in such a way  
By that changed soul, rainbows burst through Life's storm,  
And millions, helped, cried forth, "What hath God wrought!"

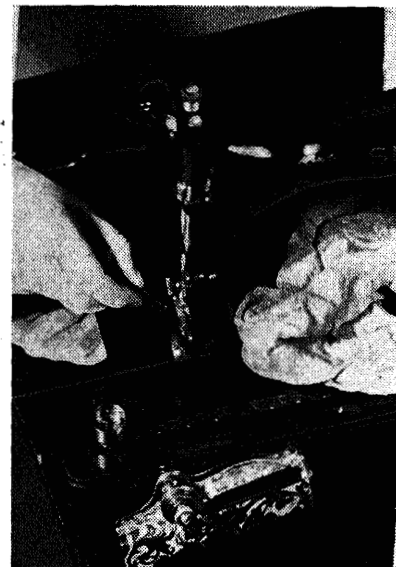
**I**F, instead of a gem or even a flower, we could cast the gift of a lovely thought into the heart of a friend, that would be giving as the angels give.—George Macdonald.



The face-plate is removed to simplify cleaning and oiling of the needle-bar mechanism. Undo the screw and lift off the plate, or swing it aside if it is a flat plate

quickly for a few minutes. Wipe and leave for a little, then run again until no more oil is seen coming out. Then having removed all traces of benzine or paraffin with a soft rag, re-oil the machine with the proper oil and run as already suggested.

The head of the machine should be unclamped and lifted, so that the working parts underneath can be



Cotton or fluff in the bobbin race will cause breaking thread, and may stop the machine altogether. Remove carefully with tweezers or small scissors.

neath the work, tighten this nut slightly. It is worth taking some trouble to make sure that the tension is properly adjusted. It is seldom necessary to adjust the under tension, but this can be done by altering the tiny screw on the bobbin case, tightening it to increase, and loosening to decrease the tension.

If sewing very fine and flimsy material, the pressure can be lightened by slightly unscrewing the thumbscrew on top of the face plate. Tightening this screw will increase the pressure on the material.

Make sure that the needle is put in accurately, with the flat side to the right, and the needle-holder at its highest point. The needle should be inserted as far as it will go before screwing up. Make sure the needle is not bent or blunt. A bent

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## OFFICIAL GAZETTE

**PROMOTION—**  
To be Captain:  
Lieutenant Fred Smith.

**To be Lieutenants:**  
Pro-Lieutenants Bessie Agar, Jessie Alcock, James Amos, Florence Bough, John Carter, Johnson Clarke, Olive Clifford, Evelyn Cranwell, Evelyn Crowell, Lorna Davidson, May Donelon, Marjorie Emmerson, Audrey Fisher, Marjorie Frettenburg, Dorothy Gratto, Lillie Hadsley, Raymond Homewood, Donald Homuth, Viola Hunt, Lorne Jannison, Violet Larder, Margaret LeGrow, Leicester Longden, Eva MacFadyen, Evelyn MacTavish, Elizabeth McArthur, Robert Marks, Ethel Marquardsen, Ruth Metzger, Sophia O'Kraetz, Douglas Payne, Mary Robinson, Eva Rosser, Audrey Sims, Marion Smith, Eileen Terry, Louise Thomas, Dorothy Wambolt, Eva Waterston, Joseph Winters.

**APPOINTMENTS—**  
Major and Mrs. Alfred Dixon: Peterboro.  
Major and Mrs. Charles Kimmins: Brantford.  
Major and Mrs. William Lorimer: Montreal Citadel.  
Major and Mrs. George Mundy: Windsor Citadel.  
Adjutant and Mrs. William Gibson: Guelph.  
Lieutenant Edward Langridge: Byng Avenue, Toronto.

**Pro-Lieutenants:** Erma Baker, Palmerton; Dorothy Beker, Nanaimo; Grace Burkett, North Vancouver; Evelyn Butler, Cranbrook; William Carey, Oids; Dorothy Carr, Dunnville; Margaret Chubb, Sydney Mines; Vera Clarke, Lansing; Harold Clifford, Cobalt; Joseph Craig, Long Branch; Ruth Daniels, Girls' Home, Ottawa; Jean Delamont, London II; Lelda Dockstader, Grace Hospital, Ottawa; Vivian Durkee, Windsor IV; Violet Emberson, Trail; Myrtle Erb, Kitsilano, Vancouver; Janet Ferguson, Regina Northside; Norma Gates, Norwood, Winnipeg; Marion Githam, Rowntree, Toronto; Elizabeth Godfrey, Fort Colborne; Ruth Goldsmith, Renfrew; Beatrice Golem, The Pas; Dorothy Golem, Flin Flon; Cecil Goodwin, Men's Social, Halifax; Ruby Hall, Dauphin; Robert Hammond, Peace River; Laura Hanson, Bridgetown; Katie Hogg, West Saint John; Jean Hubbard, Arnprior; Marjorie Kerr, Goderich; Vera Langland, Rossland; Albert Longden, Vermilion; Geraldine Major, Wallaceburg; Daisy Marmounier, Hanna; Marie Morgan, Notre Dame West, Montreal; Ethel Moore, Hanover; Elizabeth MacDonald, Weston, Ont.; Gladys McGregor, Prince Albert; Sam Nahmney, Coleman; Valerie Neale, Westville; Howard Nichol, Selkirk; Dorothy Page, Catherine Booth Hospital, Montreal; Elizabeth Peacocke, Carleton Place; Gertrude Polhill, Shelburne; Thomas Powell, Weyburn; Elva Primmett, Sault Ste. Marie II; Beulah Pritchett, Saskatoon; Lillith Rose, Tweed; Bernice Rowe, Aurora; Reimer Smith, Shaunavon; Margaret Soper, Children's Home, Calgary; Bryant Stevens, Boys' Home, London; James Sutherland, Men's Social, Quebec; Flossie Uziel, Lloydminster; Evelyn Wagner, Nanaimo; Lillian Walker, Prescott; Ruth Walker, Fernie; Lillian Wastell, Clinton; Hazel Waterston, Seaford; Harriette Wells, Wetaskiwin; Evelyn Willett, Kamptville; Mildred Williamson, Kingsville; Thelma Worthylake, Hedgewood Home, Kingston; Eileen Wren, Rhodes Avenue, Toronto.

**BENJAMIN ORAMES,**  
Commissioner.

## COMING EVENTS

### COMMISSIONER B. ORAMES

TORONTO: Sat-Sun May 22-23 (Service-men's and Women's Rally)  
ORILLIA: Sat-Sun June 12-13 (Young People's Demonstration, Sat; and Councils)  
\*Brigadier Keith will accompany

**THE CHIEF SECRETARY**  
Toronto: Sat-Sun May 22-23 (Service-men's and Women's Rally)

**THE FIELD SECRETARY**  
Fenelon Falls: Sun-Mon May 23-24  
Sarnia: Sat-Sun May 29-30  
Orillia: Sat-Sun June 5-6  
Fredericton: Sat-Sun July 10-11 (Young People's Councils)

**COLONEL R. ADBY:** Edmonton Citadel, Sat-Mon May 29-June 7  
**LIEUT. COLONEL HOGGARD:** Regina, Sat-Sun May 22-23 (Young People's Demonstration, Sat; and Councils); Saskatoon, Sat-Sun 29-30 (Young People's Demonstration, Sat; and Councils); Calgary, Sat-Sun June 5-6 (Young People's Demonstration, Sat; and Councils); Edmonton, Sat-Sun 12-13 (Young People's Demonstration; and Councils) Brigadier Keith: Fort William, Fri June 4; Winnipeg, Sat-Mon 5-7 (Young People's Demonstration; Councils and (Mon) Young People's Workers' Conference)  
Major Burnell: Windsor, N.S.: Sat-Mon May 22-24; Kentville, Tues-Fri 25-28; Bridgetown, Sat-Mon 29-31; Digby,

## Pacific Coast Young People Gather For Stimulating Council Sessions

THE 1943 Vancouver Young People's Council will always be a cherished memory to those who were privileged to attend. The theme, "Toward a Better World," was not merely a title, but every energy was bent toward making each delegate realize his responsibility in this vast undertaking. The Holy Spirit's influence was felt from the very first gathering of the day.

The Territorial Young People's Secretary, Brigadier A. Keith, was the council leader, and the arresting messages set forth in the various sessions stirred the hearts of all assembled. The Divisional Commander, Brigadier M. Junker, welcomed the Brigadier and the delegates attending from Chilliwack, New Westminster, Victoria Citadel, Westside, Nanaimo, and the city Corps, and took an active part in each session. Mrs. Captain Halsey was at the piano throughout the day, and Band Leader G. Fuller was in charge of the instrumental ensemble which supplied musical accompaniments.

In the morning session Corps Cadet Phyllis Alder read the Scripture portion, and Songster Florence Mycock sang. In the afternoon gathering, which had plenty of variety, Corps Cadet Halsey read the Scripture portion, and Corps Cadets Violet and Pearl Knowles, Songsters D. and G. Hutchings sang acceptably. Interesting papers were read by Corps Cadet Ruth Shergold and Corps Cadet Florence Slade. Major E. Burrows gave an intriguing glimpse of the opportunities awaiting a

Salvation Army graduate nurse, in the paper she read. Brigadier Keith kept the whole audience tense with wonderment as he conducted the "Bible Biography Quiz."

As announced by Brigadier Keith, the findings of the Panel Discussion of Young People's Local Officers, held on the previous Thursday, were read, and a pin dropping could have been heard as the Brigadier told the results. Certainly the young people of the British Columbia Division were assured that their leaders were alert to their every need. Concluding the afternoon session the Territorial Young People's Secretary made a strong appeal for the dedication of lives to the service of God in the ranks of The Salvation Army.

The seating accommodation for the evening session was filled to capacity. In this meeting Corps Cadet Helen Creamore read the Bible selection, and Songster Eileen Cook sang a solo. Lieutenant Frettenburg, of Nanaimo, spoke on "Life's Challenge to the Youth of the Land," and in a few, well chosen words, painted a picture of God's call and His ability to perfect the plans He has for each life if it be dedicated to Him.

The Brigadier seemed in a very real sense to be the "mouthpiece of the Lord," as he told of the requirements necessary to bring about a better world, and concluded his talk with a story which showed the power of sanctified service. Decisions made in the prayer meeting were unhurried and the result of much conviction.

## COMMUNITY WELL BLESSED

Territorial Spiritual Special Leads Campaign at Rowntree

SOME weeks prior to the visit of Adjutant W. Ross, the Territorial Spiritual Special, and Mrs. Ross, to Rowntree Corps, Toronto, the Officers, Major Collins, Lieutenant Falconer, and comrades prayed and planned that the utmost good should be extracted from the special meetings.

The period set aside for the intensive soul-saving effort passed all too quickly, and the crowds attending bore witness to their spiritual desires. The meetings will long be remembered for the touch of the "old time Power" and the well-fought prayer meetings, when several "breaks" brought souls to the Mercy-Seat. More than a score of seekers volunteered forward, and Heaven came very near.

A Soldiers' meeting marked the half-way point in the campaign, the four Corps in York Township gathering to share the blessings, the gathering proving to be a hallowed hour. The principles of true Salvationism were clearly enunciated and the privileges of soldiers of the Cross set forth. Major Boulton assisted with the Altar call, and consecrations were made to God.

The Corps and community are the better for the campaign, and the Salvation of the sinner and the sanctifying of God's people will be the aim of the comrades in the battles of the future.

Tues-Thurs June 1-3; Yarmouth, Sat-Tues, 5-8; Shelburne, Thurs-Sun 10-13; Liverpool, Tues-Thurs, 15-17; Lunenburg, Fri-Sun 18-20; Dartmouth, Tues-Sun 22-27; Pictou, Tues-Wed 29-30  
Major Porter: Sydney, Sat-Sun June 5-6 (Y.P. Councils)

**TERRITORIAL SPIRITUAL SPECIAL**  
(Adjutant Wm. Ross, accompanied by Mrs. Ross)  
East Toronto: Thurs-Mon May 30-31

**GENERAL ORDER**  
At all Corps throughout the Territory, Corps Cadet Sunday will be observed on Sunday, June 6.

**BENJAMIN ORAMES,**  
Commissioner.

## NEW FIELDS OF LABOR

Officers Proceed to Their  
Appointments

A FEW Officers' appointments involved in the present general Field change are given below. The full gazette will appear in a later issue.

Major Margaret Beaumont, Colingwood; Major Laura Collins, Barrie; Major and Mrs. Sidney Harrison, Liverpool; Major Ivy Spicer, Yarmouth; Adjutant Marjorie McLeod, Sydney Mines; Adjutant Flora Pyke, Dartmouth; Adjutant and Mrs. James Wilder, Sudbury; Adjutant Jessie Bain, Rowntree, Toronto; Adjutant Ermine Ward, Greenwood, Toronto; Adjutant and Mrs. George Cuthbert, Saint John Brinley Street; Adjutant Pearl Fader, West Saint John; Adjutant Ida Chalk, Trail; Adjutant and Mrs. George Crewe, Nelson; Adjutant Elizabeth Robertson, Fernie; Adjutant Iris Smith, Rossland; Captain Sarah Curtis, Hanover; Captain Mary D. Mason, Tweed.

## ON THE PRISONER'S BEHALF

Prison Work Secretary Tells of  
Important Army Activity

THE Territorial Prison Secretary, Lt.-Colonel W. Bunton, recently spoke to a luncheon gathering in Toronto of Canadian Pacific Railway officials on the Prison Work of The Army. Among those present was Mr. J. H. Humphries, vice-president of the organization. The Field Secretary, Lieut.-Colonel F. C. Ham, was also present at the function.

Lieut.-Colonel W. Bunton also represented The Army at a Victory Loan gathering at the Canadian Club when the Prime Minister, Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, was the speaker.

At the invitation of the minister, Rev. T. W. Hazlewood, Lieut.-Colonel W. Bunton, assisted by Captains L. Knight and E. Parr, conducted two Sunday services at Humbercrest United Church, Toronto. Following his address to the Men's Bible Class, the Colonel spoke to a capacity audience in the church auditorium on the topic, "The Prison Gate." The vocal and instrumental duets of Captains Parr and Knight were well appreciated by the audience.

## COAST-TO-COAST BROADCAST

The Chief Secretary, Colonel G. W. Peacock, is announced to conduct a coast-to-coast devotional broadcast on Sunday, June 13, from 2.30 to 3.00 p.m. (E.W.T.). The broadcast will originate in the Toronto studios of the C.B.C.

## A Wide Prayer-Circle

A GROUP of comrades in a Northern Ontario town (Orillia) gathered for a prayer meeting, and at the suggestion of the Corps Officer they devoted the entire period in prayer for Salvation Army comrades in Britain, whose devotion and sacrifice have become an inspiration to Salvationists everywhere.

Later, several Soldiers of the Corps, who had originally come from Britain, wrote letters to their old Corps, telling the comrades of the prayers offered in their behalf. One comrade, a former Officer, wrote to each place at which he had been stationed in the Old Land.

The result was that many letters of appreciation were received from British comrades for so lovingly remembering them at the Throne of God. They told details concerning God's guidance and blessing throughout trying days and nights. They also promised to pray for their Canadian comrades.

Thus the circle of fellowship in prayer spread from the Canadian Northland to Salvationists in the homeland overseas.

## MORTGAGE BURNING AT SUDBURY

55th Anniversary Rejoicings in  
the World's Greatest Nickel  
Centre

THE 55th Anniversary services at Sudbury, Ont. (Major and Mrs. C. Chapman, Captain F. O. Rennick) were conducted by the Divisional leaders, Brigadier and Mrs. R. Raymer.

On Saturday evening an interesting program was presided over by Mayor Beaton. The Rev. Mr. Armstrong, on behalf of the churches, brought greetings, and the Rev. Mr. Omes offered prayer. Mrs. Brigadier Raymer paid tribute to comrades who had blazed the trail.

The feature of the evening was the burning of the mortgage on the Citadel and Quarters property. The Divisional Commander heartily congratulated Major and Mrs. Chapman, who have been in charge of the Corps for over eight years, and who now are retiring from active service. The Mayor touched the match to the mortgage.

Sunday meetings were well attended and characterized by praise to God for every victory won during the Corps' career. The messages of Brigadier and Mrs. Raymer were timely. Five young people knelt at the Mercy-Seat.

## "EMPRESS" MEMORIAL

The Salvation Army survivors of the "Empress of Ireland" disaster will conduct their 29th Memorial Service at the Mount Pleasant Monument on Saturday, May 29, at 3 p.m.

Salvationists and friends are invited to be present.



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STOP PRESS NEWS

Commissioner B. Oramas, follow-  
ing his visit to Britain arrived at  
the Territorial Centre, Toronto,  
Thursday, May 13, accompanied by  
Major A. Cameron. The Territorial  
Commander, who was met by the  
Chief Secretary at a station along  
the line, was warmly greeted at the  
Union Station by Mrs. Oramas and  
heads of departments.

Salvationists in the Canadian Ter-  
ritory will be devoutly thankful to  
God for the safe arrival of their  
leader.

NEWS FROM MALAYA

Missionary Officers Safe

AN official communication from  
Ottawa contains the informa-  
tion that Adjutant Margaret Burns  
(a Canadian Officer last stationed in  
Singapore) is included in a list of  
civilians interned at Changi Camp,  
Singapore.

A cablegram from Lieut.-Commis-  
sioner Ernest Harewood, Sydney,  
Australia, states that the Singapore  
shortwave broadcast a brief message  
from several interned Salvation  
Army Officers. One of these, Cap-  
tain Frank Bainbridge, said: "There  
are fourteen others here in good  
health. We thought you would ap-  
preciate this good news and could  
inform relatives."

A further message from Lieut.-  
Commissioner Arthur Ludbrook,  
now in Shanghai, states: "All  
Western Officers are well."

QUICK WORK!

War Cry Frontispiece Travels  
Far and Fast

THE WAR CRY figured in a  
speedy piece of work recently,  
when the editor of the Lethbridge  
Herald (Alberta) sent in a hurried  
request for the recent Mother's Day  
frontispiece (an aged mother's hand  
resting on her Bible).

The plate was airmailed Friday,  
crossed three Provinces and reach-  
ed the Herald Saturday in time for  
its Mother's Day issue, published  
the same day.

A proof page containing the pic-  
ture, prominently displayed with  
the cut-line appended, giving ac-  
knowledgegment to The War Cry,  
reached the Editor-in-Chief's desk  
in Toronto the following Tuesday  
—plus grateful thanks.

The photograph reproduced, in-  
cidentally, was taken by a Toronto  
school teacher, the hand being that  
of his mother.

CHUNGKING'S FIRST MILESTONE

(Continued from page 5)

ber twenty or more usually.  
The Juniors are clamoring at our  
gates long before 3 o'clock, eager  
for the Company meeting. We go  
out for an open-air meeting first.  
Our Corps helpers and we two take  
companies, so four classes is our  
limit; we long to have more to help.  
Night open-air meetings attract  
large crowds, and we are fortunate  
in having an open space in front of  
the Hall.

In these open-air meetings we  
sold over six hundred Gospel por-  
tions and even some New Testa-  
ments. Usually our inside congrega-  
tion is between sixty and eighty  
adults. We have resolutely kept the  
children out of the Senior meetings,  
just as we keep adults out of the  
Junior meetings! This, in spite of  
occasional stone-throwing by some

COMRADE "VALIANTS"

During the Commissioning Service, a  
telegraphic message from Chicago was  
read by the Chief Secretary. The wire  
conveyed the greetings of "Valiant"  
Cadets in training at the Central United  
States Territorial centre.

THE WAR CRY

VALIANT AND TRUE

Sessional Song of the "Valiants"

BY BRIGADIER SIDNEY E. COX

TO the name we bear and the task we share,  
We'll be valiant and true;  
Till our work is done at the set of sun,  
We'll be valiant and true  
To tell the wondrous story, to many or to few,  
And the Master can depend upon us  
To be valiant and true.

Chorus:

Valiant, valiant, we'll be valiant and true.  
There's a mighty task awaiting  
And we mean to see it through.  
Valiant, valiant, well dare and do,  
And the Master can depend upon us  
To be valiant and true.

We will march along though the foe be strong,  
We'll be valiant and true.  
Through the darkest night we will bear the light,  
We'll be valiant and true;  
And all along the journey we'll keep the crown in view,  
And the Master can depend upon us  
To be valiant and true.

We will bear the Cross whether gain or loss,  
We'll be valiant and true.  
To the Christ who died and was crucified  
We'll be valiant and true.  
Until the course is finished, this one thing we will do,  
And the Master can depend upon us  
To be valiant and true.

Farewell Sunday In Toronto

(Continued from page 9)

the conditions were enunciated.  
"The secret of a spiritual power is  
with those who, with God, walk  
amidst worldly surroundings un-  
tainted by its sin." That this highest  
of standards for daily living is  
God's way for man and accessible  
to all was reiterated when Colonel  
Hoggard led a short prayer meeting  
in which a seeker came to the  
Altar.

While the Training College Prin-  
cipal ostensibly had leadership of  
the afternoon gathering at Lisgar  
Street, the "Valiants" themselves—  
as Lieut.-Colonel R. Hoggard sug-  
gested—made it "their meeting!"

After a rousing opening song led  
by Captain Holmes, prayer offered  
by Mrs. Major Moulton, the  
reading of a Scripture portion by  
Adjutant W. Leshner, and the sing-  
ing of the Sessional Song, under the  
leadership of Major Moulton, the  
Cadets stepped on to the bridge.

Honoring Mother's Day, with  
which the event synchronized,  
Cadets whose mothers were present  
in the overflowing audience, stood,  
and both mothers and children  
testified to God's goodness in their

lives. One mother had journeyed all  
the way from Saskatoon to be  
present.

The next group to stand com-  
prised Cadets with relatives other  
than mothers present, the group in-  
cluding visitors from many distant  
points, including the United States.

Cadets from the extreme ends of  
the Territory were the last to  
be heard from. Majors A. Irwin and  
F. Moulton led this happy, en-  
thusiastic period.

The Lisgar Street Band (Band-  
master F. Williams) and Songster  
Brigade (Leader R. Wicksey) con-  
tributed melodious items.

The Training Principal presented  
Training College Officers who are  
proceeding to other appointments,  
and these Officers spoke of the joy  
of serving during the Session with  
the "Valiants."

Concluding the joyful period, the  
Training Principal gave a short,  
impressive address, referring to  
"Valiants" whose names are re-  
corded in the Old and New Testa-  
ments. Mrs. Hoggard closed the  
gathering with prayer.

The final meeting of the day—the  
"Valiants'" last Sunday evening  
meeting as a group—was held at the  
Temple, with the Chief Secretary at  
the helm.

Floor and gallery crowded with a  
deeply - interested audience, the  
gathering in its every exercise  
sounded forth the praise of the ut-  
termost Saviour and full opportun-

APPOINTED  
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Major John  
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Social, who, as  
announced in  
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ity was given to sinners and back-  
sliders to make their peace with  
God. The Temple Band and Song-  
sters were out in force and contri-  
buted well-rendered selections. The  
Cadets also sang an appropriate  
song.

CONTRACTING WITH GOD  
Cadets' Impressive Covenant  
Service

FINAL Sunday gatherings at-  
tended by the "Valiant" Cadets  
at the Training College were led by  
the Chief Secretary, Colonel G. W.  
Peacock, accompanied by Mrs.  
Peacock. In the evening, Cadets  
participated in a solemn Covenant  
Service and, during a sacred few  
minutes, entered into life-long con-  
tract for service.

The Training College Principal  
and Mrs. Hoggard, with Training  
College Officers, supported the  
visiting leaders and participated in  
the hallowed sessions.

In the afternoon period, Major  
and Mrs. G. Voisey, recently re-  
turned from Nigeria, were present,  
the Major speaking of his mis-  
sionary experiences.

During the day, Mrs. Peacock  
brought a helpful message, and the  
Field Secretary, Lieut.-Colonel F.  
C. Ham, also addressed the Cadets.  
The Chief Secretary stressed the  
sacred importance of Officership,  
and reminded the Cadets of the  
shining opportunities that lay be-  
fore them.

ONLY ONE HUSTLER?

WHAT a pity Mr. Robert Rip-  
ley, of cartoon fame, was not  
around in 1904! For he surely  
would have made a special note of  
a Training College oddity in a War  
Cry issued during that particular  
year. Under the caption, "What is  
in a name," this remarkable item  
reads as follows:

In the International Training  
Homes, London, Eng., when there is  
more than one Cadet of the same  
name, they usually become known as  
"Snooks I," "Snooks II," "Snooks  
III," etc. In the present enlarged Ses-  
sion the Smiths and Clarks will each  
run up to seven, while the Masons and  
Taylors each require four. Of the great  
Jones and Davis families there are  
three each. There are also three  
Deans, three Bells, three Greys, three  
Harrises, two Kings, two Popes, a  
Mayor, Cutler, Potter, Butcher, Sex-  
ton, Shepherd, Shearer, Rider, Salter  
and Guy. There are also a couple of  
Hills, a Dale, Ford, Brook, Wood, Clay  
and Sands, with Finches, Martin, Par-  
tridge, Sparrow, Sprat, Roe, and  
Lamb. Scotland provides a Wallace,  
Bruce, Burns, Hogg, and McBeth.

We could also find a Couch, Saddle,  
Boat, Spear, Gimblett, Target, Locke  
and Nutt. And last, there is a Hust-  
ler, whose name ought to be of great  
service to him, if he is one by nature.

Testimonies, brightly and earn-  
estly given by several Cadets, made  
a definite impression upon the large  
audience, one of their number,  
Cadet E. Primmer, a former Temple  
Soldier, describing how she and her  
parents found Salvation together.  
The Training Principal had charge  
of this period of the meeting.

Reiterating his morning statement  
concerning the disappointment felt  
at the absence of the Commissioner  
due to the uncertainties of war-time  
travel, the Chief Secretary gave a  
forceful Bible message, exhorting  
the unsaved not to turn aside God's  
overtures of mercy. "There is an  
evil as old as the human race. It is  
procrastination. There is no matter  
about which men are more neglect-  
ful than the salvation of their  
souls," he declared.

Unconverted Persuaded

The Field Secretary led the  
prayer meeting, during which the  
Cadets were busily engaged in per-  
suading the unconverted to come to  
a decision. A young lad led the way  
to the Mercy-Seat and a number of  
other seekers followed.

During the opening exercises of  
the meeting Mrs. Lieut.-Colonel  
Hoggard read the Scripture, and  
Major Irwin offered prayer. The  
Divisional Commander and Corps  
Officer, Major J. Wood, also took  
part.



## In the Land of Eternal Springtime

Salvation Warriors Exchange  
the Cross for the Crown

### SISTER MRS. J. FAIRHURST

Bedford Park, Toronto  
Three months following the promotion to Glory of her husband, the late Bandmaster Fairhurst, Sister Mrs. Fairhurst was called to Higher Service from Bedford Park, Toronto. She had served God over fifty years, and was always an inspiration and a blessing.

For many years Mrs. Fairhurst worked faithfully in the Home League and although for the past two years she was unable to attend many meetings, a keen interest was maintained in all Corps activities.

The funeral service was conducted by the Chief Secretary who had known her for nearly forty years. He paid tribute to her life of service to God and The Salvation Army. Captain Sloan, the Corps Officer, praised God for her beautiful Christian life the influence of which would continue. Mrs. Adjutant Everitt sang. Lieut.-Colonel Spooner and Lieut.-Colonel Dray also took part.

On Easter Sunday night tribute was paid to Mrs. Fairhurst's memory, and prayer was offered on behalf of her two daughters, Brigadier An-

nle Fairhurst, and Mrs. Abrams.

### BROTHER C. WEBB

Nanaimo, B.C.  
The Heavenly Home Call has been answered by Brother C. W. Webb, a veteran Salvationist for fifty-two years, and a Soldier for seven years at Nanaimo, B.C. He was a loyal Salvationist, and was the Corps drummer for many years. Brother Webb knew much of early-day fighting as a Salvationist, having Soldiered in Campbellwood, Nunhead, and Barrow Tower, in England; then in eastern and western Canada. His hearty solos will be missed, but he has joined the Heavenly choir around the Throne.

A funeral service held in Nanaimo on Easter Sunday afternoon was conducted by Lieut.-Colonel A. Goodwin (R) who spoke of the glorious hope of the Resurrection. Prayer was offered by Brother Ward and by Adjutant Chalk who committed the relatives to God. Another service was conducted by the Colonel in Vancouver where interment took place in the presence of a large number of relatives and comrades. Major O'Donnell paid tribute to the life of the promoted warrior, and Brigadier Gosling (R) prayed.

### SISTER MRS. MILLAR

Niagara Falls I, Ont.  
The call to the Heavenly Home came suddenly for Sister Mrs. Millar, of Niagara Falls I, Ont. On the day of her promotion to Glory when the Corps Officer visited her, Mrs. Millar enjoyed the Scripture reading and responded during prayer. For her it was the last opportunity so to do for shortly afterward her spirit went to be with the Saviour.

Fifty-six years ago, in England, Mrs. Millar made her peace with God, and before her marriage, served a number of years as an Officer in the Old Land.

The funeral service was conducted by the Corps Officer;

the Founder's song was sung, by request, and a warning was given to all to set their spiritual house in order.

### RETIRED SERGT.-MAJOR WM. FORD

Paradise Sound, Nfld.  
After forty-nine years of active service. Retired Sergeant-Major William J. Ford, of Paradise Sound, Nfld., has passed to his Eternal Reward. He was one of the pioneer Officers in the Newfoundland field, serving nine years as such before ill-health necessitated resignation. He became the Young People's Sergeant-Major, influencing many young people, and later as Corps Sergeant-Major was a ceaseless and untiring in his efforts.

Brother Ford was highly respected by everyone as a leader in the community. Declining health forced him to retire, but his sick-room was a place of benediction to every visitor. The funeral service, in the absence of an Officer, was conducted by Young People's Sergeant-Major Barrett. The memorial service was well attended and tributes were paid to the life of a well-loved soldier of Christ.

### BANDSMAN FRED WARDLE

Belleville, Ont.  
The Belleville Corps has sustained a serious loss in the promotion to Glory of Bandman Fred Wardle, brother of the Corps Bandmaster, who answered the Heavenly Call on Sunday evening, April 11.

Beginning his Salvation Army Banding at a very early age, he took part, with the Chesterton Band, of Staffordshire, Eng., in many early-day Army activities, such as the motor tours of the Founder through Rugby and Coventry, and General Bramwell Booth's half-nights of prayer at Stoke and Hanley.

First coming to Canada, in August, 1906, he settled in Belleville, playing in the Citadel Band, and holding the commission of Deputy-Bandmaster. Returning



## Direct Appeal to the Unconverted

Made by Musicians Visiting Haliburton

### PATIENTS ENJOY BAND

An interesting lantern service on Good Friday night: Knee - drill, with thirty-one present, followed by breakfast in the Young People's Hall, on Easter morning, and a splendid dialogue, "Trumpets at Dawn," on Easter Monday night, were high-lights of Eastertide at Orillia, Ont. (Major and Mrs. J. Matthews).

Patients at the Ontario Hospital School are greatly delighted when the Band goes there each Sunday morning before the regular open-air meeting.—A. Le B.

to the home Corps in England in 1912, he held the position of Corps Sergeant-Major, and trained a splendid group of singers and a dialogue party. He was also Corps Bandmaster for several years before leaving for Canada.

In 1923, Bandmaster Fred Wardle returned to Belleville where he again took up his work as a Bandsman, and trained an excellent instrumental quartet party.

For many years he played solo cornet, but always showed the true Bandsman's spirit, and when the need came he transferred to the bass section. Almost everyone in Belleville knew him as The Army Band's sousaphone player.

Sick for the short period of two months, the promoted comrade gave a glowing testimony to God's saving grace in the hour of need.

Citizens from all walks of life packed the Citadel to pay their last tribute to a warrior of the Cross. The Corps Officer, Adjutant F. Smith, conducted the impressive service.

### SISTER MRS. BRYANT

St. Thomas, Ont.  
A highly respected citizen of St. Thomas, Ont., and a faithful Army Soldier, Sister Mrs. Bryant, has been called to her Eternal Reward. For many years the promoted comrade attended and took part in Corps meetings, even the rigors of winter did not keep her from God's House. Failing health prevented her doing all she would have undertaken for the Kingdom. Mrs. Bryant assured Mrs. Major Bond who was with (Continued in column 5)

Haliburton, Ont. (Lieutenant J. Schwab). Major W. Millar and an instrumental and vocal quartet from Fenelon Falls, recently paid a week-end visit. In the morning meeting the heart-searching messages of Sister Mrs. A. Brokenshire and Sister Mona Gray were fraught with inspiration.

A large crowd gathered to hear the music and singing at the open-air meeting, and in the Company meeting which followed boys and girls signified their acceptance of Jesus. Music was dispensed to the patients at the hospital previous to the Salvation meeting for which the Hall was filled. The Band contributed appreciated music; a talk was given by Sister Muriel Brokenshire, and Young People's Sergeant-Major B. Brokenshire led a period of testimony. The Major's forceful message made a direct appeal.

### CHRISTIAN ATTRIBUTES

Special meetings at Stratford, Ont. (Captain and Mrs. Sharp) conducted by Home League members culminated in successful week-end meetings, conducted by the Home League under the able leadership of the secretary, Mrs. J. Lowes. In the Holiness meeting four members gave helpful and uplifting short talks on four attributes of Christ.

The afternoon was brightened by a group song and inspiring testimonies. To close the profitable week-end the members brought the lesson in tableau form. Special visitation was done by the members during the week, and an exchange visit to St. Marys Corps was an outstanding event.

### UNITED MEETING

Good Friday was a day of meditation and consecration at Edmonton Citadel, Alta. (Adjutant and Mrs. Jackson). In the morning Brigadier and Mrs. L. Ursaki conducted a united meeting, when several of the city Officers spoke. In the evening the very expressive story of the Cross was shown by still pictures.

Easter Sunday meetings were led by Major and Mrs. D. Rea. During the morning meeting a sister claimed Salvation. The evening meeting was well attended and a spirit of holy joy prevailed. The Hall was beautifully decorated with a garden setting. On Tuesday the Youth Group presented a demonstration which was well enacted.

### PROFITABLE GATHERINGS

At Brock Avenue, Toronto (Captain and Mrs. Pindred) Easter meetings were begun with a prayer meeting at 7.30 followed by a march. Meetings were conducted by Envoy and Mrs. Wells, of Peterboro. In the Company meeting decisions were made to serve the Master.

Men Cadets training at the Corps farewelled on Sunday when Major and Mrs. Moulton piloted the meetings. God came very near. Two adults and a number of young people resolved to take Jesus as their Friend.

A "Young People's Fellowship" has been started under the leadership of Captain N. Holdier. Already profitable gatherings have been enjoyed.

### SEASONS WITH GOD

Easter meetings at New Aberdeen, N.S. (Adjutant and Mrs. W. Oakley) were seasons with God. The early morning march was well attended, and the Holiness meeting was a time of believing and receiving. Following the Company meeting five children were dedicated.

A special feature in the evening was an Enrolment service, and in the well-fought prayer meeting in which there was a vivid realization of the Holy Spirit's presence, two persons sought the Good Shepherd. All meetings were well attended. On Monday evening the Songster Brigade presented an excellent Easter program.

(Continued from column 4) her in the last hours that she had the assurance of her Master's presence.

Major J. Bond conducted the funeral service, and spoke of the consistent life of the promoted comrade. The Major assured Sister Mrs. Gold, the daughter, and other relatives, of the prayers of the comrades. Sister Mrs. R. Mills sang.

## MISSING FRIENDS

The Salvation Army will search for missing persons in any part of the globe, befriend, and, so far as is possible, assist anyone in difficulty.

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Address your communications to the Men's Social Secretary, 20 Albert Street, Toronto 2, in the case of men, marking "Enquiry" on the envelope. In the case of women please notify the Women's Social Secretary, 20 Albert Street, Toronto.



S. M. I. T. H.  
Charles William Henry—Age 43 years; height 5 ft. 6 ins.; dark hair; gray eyes; fair complexion; scar on lip; former fireman. Three sons on active service most anxious to communicate with father.

PARKER, William C.—Age about 60 years; 6 ft. 2 ins. in height; bald; weight about 190 lbs.; blue eyes. Thought to be somewhere in Alaska. Relatives anxious.

REINGOLD, Herman—Age 18 years; 5 ft. 10 ins. in height. American citizen; weighs 155 lbs.; has brown eyes and blonde hair; scar on forehead; last seen wearing blue suit with attached collar, red print tie, brown hat, and low brown shoes. Parents anxious for news.

FLUX, Alice—Age about 60 years. Came to Canada from England in 1897; may now be married. Was living in Osborne, Man., when last heard from. Sister anxious to contact. 2750

JOHNSON, Mrs. Peter (nee Sholrook)—Born in Exeter, Devon; age 50 years; height 5 ft. 7 ins.; dark hair; brown eyes; dark complexion. Was Mrs. Lockwood before second marriage. Was known to be living in Montreal some years ago, in service at the home of the Bishop of Quebec. 2740

KIBALSKI, Mrs. Anna (nee Bochenko)—Born in Poland; height 5 ft. 5 ins.; weight 135 pounds; round face; medium brown hair; blue eyes. Was living in Winnipeg until 1939; was also known to be in Montreal in 1940. Whereabouts sought. 2706

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NEWFOUNDLAND REVIVALS

Soul-Saving Efforts Result in Glorious Victories

Revival meetings at Hant's Harbor, Nfld., are still full of interest. Crowds fill the Hall every meeting, and some remarkable cases of conversion have been recorded. On last Sunday and Monday nights there were seventeen men and women at the Mercy-Seat. Many others are under conviction, and some who have strayed from the Christian path have requested the prayers of God's people for their spiritual peace and restoration.

An Enrolment service was conducted recently when ten men and women took their stand under the Flag, six of the ten being young people with a promising future in the service of God. Two new members have been added to the Band, and they are rendering valued service.

Gambo (Adjutant and Mrs. O. Rideout) is experiencing refreshing, soul-inspiring meetings. Sunday night finished with a real shout in the camp, seven persons having surrendered their hearts to God. At a Spiritual meeting with the Sunbeam Brigade three young people were converted. Sunbeam Leader Ford, who is also the day school teacher, is doing excellent work in this branch of the young people's war.

Peter's Arm, Nfld. (Captain M. Rideout). Since the commencement of the soul-saving campaign twenty young people have knelt at the Mercy-Seat, seventeen having sought God in the young people's after-school meetings. The Sunday night meetings are being well attended, many people bringing their chairs with them.

At present comrades are preparing material for a new school, which, it is anticipated, will be opened at the beginning of the next school term.

God is blessing the efforts of Officers and comrades at Springdale, Nfld. (Adjutant and Mrs. Goulding). Showers of blessings are being enjoyed. During the Easter early-morning march Soldiers sang in front of the homes of the aged and sick.

In the afternoon a large

crowd assembled to witness the Enrolment of five young women. In the evening meeting two men returned to the Fold. During Home League Week some of the members presented pleasing items of interest. A spiritual meeting was also conducted by Home League members, and resulted in a young man kneeling at the Cross. Comrades are praising the Lord for victories won.

MUSIC IN THE CAMP

Dovercourt Band paid a visit to Camp Borden on a recent Sunday, and was well received by a good turn-out of men in khaki and air-force blue. Programs were given in the afternoon and evening at the Red Shield Service Centre, and a short open-air program was also presented at the camp military hospital in the afternoon. The Band's playing was greatly enjoyed.

Guest soloist was Flight-Sergeant Cliff Hunt, Bandmaster of No. 1 S.F.T.S., R.C.A.F., Camp Borden. The Band was under the baton of Deputy Bandmaster Irwin who substituted for Bandmaster William Merritt unable to be present because of sickness. The singing of the Male Voice Party, under the direction of Bandsman Percy Merritt, was much enjoyed. In the evening meeting, Bandsman Percy Merritt brought a fine message in which he stressed the need of surrendering to the Saviour. Through kind permission of the Officer Commanding No. 1, S.F.T.S., the Band toured the air force station during the afternoon.

NINE SEEKERS

Increased attendances in meetings at Fort William, Ont. (Major and Mrs. Fleischer, Lieutenant Homuth) are encouraging. The Band has also welcomed Bandsman B. Travers from Sydney, N.S. On Decision Sunday eight boys and girls gave their hearts to God.

In the Salvation meeting a backslider and former Bandsman returned to God after ten years of wandering from His will. His action was followed by a number of others and nine seekers came to the Mercy-Seat.

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY

At Vernon, B.C. (Captain and Mrs. A. Cartmell) Brigadier M. Junker recently showed the film, "The Serving Army" which created keen interest. Home League members recently led a helpful Sunday evening meeting. A happy event was celebrated when Brother and Sister S. Newell held their fiftieth wedding anniversary. A large number of guests were present.

Family Seek Christ In Cadets' Meeting

Hamilton II, Ont. (Adjutants Charlton and Morgan) was visited during a recent week-end by Adjutant Robinson and nine Cadets. In the Saturday night meeting the Cadets brought forth messages centred around the seven sayings of Jesus on the Cross. A goodly number attended the Sunday morning Knee-drill. The climax of the day came when sixteen persons knelt at the Mercy-Seat, among them being a family of five: father,

ZEALOUS CORPS CADETS

Comrades at Renfrew, Ont. (Captain L. Goldsmith, Lieutenant A. Fisher) were much blessed during the visit of Captain N. McBride and the Carleton Place Corps Cadets. These enthusiastic young people were zealous in their efforts for the Kingdom of God, and week-end meetings were a means of inspiration and soul-searching. Four persons knelt at the Mercy-Seat.

MUSICAL FESTIVAL

A special series of Easter meetings at Hamilton IV, Ont. (Major and Mrs. Crowe) commenced when Major Wiseman (R), assisted by Major Crowe and a number of comrades, conducted the Good Friday service, the theme being the seven sayings from the Cross. On Saturday night the Band and Songster Brigade gave an Easter musical festival, Adjutant D. Tame presiding.

Sunday's meetings were conducted by Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Tutte, assisted by Major Snowden and Captain E. Farr. The messages given stirred all hearts. During a program given by the Band and Songster Brigade, Captain Farr contributed a soprano cornet solo. The Band was augmented by a number of Bandsmen now in the armed forces.

Major Crowe dedicated the twin children of Mr. and the late Mrs. Kerr. A number of young people have been converted in recent meetings.

Our Camera Corner



HOME LEAGUE MEMBERS at Orillia, Ont., with Mrs. Brigadier R. Raymer, Divisional Secretary, and Mrs. Major Matthews, wife of the Corps Officer



BIBLE PAGEANT.—Participants in effective presentation at Picton, Ont.

Chinese Vignettes at Chatham

Returned Missionaries Thrill Audiences

Coming from Windsor, Brigadier and Mrs. Morris conducted special Easter week-end meetings at Chatham, Ont. (Major and Mrs. Bexton). It was a full program from Saturday evening to Monday night, including a seven o'clock Sunrise service. Increasing interest was shown, and all meetings were well attended. The Easter messages were most inspiring. A message of hope and encouragement was delivered by the Brigadier to the prisoners at the county jail, after which several raised their hands for special prayer.

The theme of the afternoon lecture was "Mended China-ware." Descriptively the Brigadier related incidents which indicated the worth of missionary efforts to the spiritual, mental and physical needs of the people. Special prayer was offered for those Officers who are now interned, and for others who are still able and free to carry

on their beloved work in China. In all the meetings the Band and Songsters gave excellent service. One young man surrendered his life to God.

On Monday evening a well-produced pageant, entitled "The Voice in the Garden," was presented by the Young People under the able leadership of Young People's Sergeant-Major Mrs. Midgley. Wesley Morris contributed a special musical number. On a recent Sunday evening several Young People's Local Officers, and three Young People's Bandmembers were commissioned.

AUXILIARY SPEAKER

Week-end meetings at St. Thomas, Ont. (Major and Mrs. Bond) during Easter time were conducted by Sister Mrs. T. McKay, of the Red Shield Women's Auxiliary, Toronto. The Saturday night open-air meeting attracted the attention of many people, and Salvation's good news was heard by hundreds of servicemen as well as civilians. A Sunrise service preceded helpful Holiness and Salvation meetings in which Mrs. McKay's messages were heard with interest.

A goodly amount was realized for the R.S.W.A. work from the display, tea and the Monday program arranged by Mrs. J. Bebbington. The visitor gave an enlightening talk on The Army's work, and also a message from God's Word. One person sought God. Major and Mrs. F. Bowers, of Tillsonburg, recently gave an illustrated lecture on Africa. Band Week-end was arranged by Corporal G. Homewood, and Band Sergeant S. Reid. All meetings were most helpful. Corporal Homewood brought the Holiness message, and Brother J. Black gave a pointed Salvation talk. Other Bandsmen also took part. Songster Mrs. D. Murray, of North Toronto, has visited the Corps and her testimony has been of blessing.

PROGRESSIVE ENTHUSIASM

Recent days at Listowel, Ont. (Captain Cox) have been rich in blessing. Several young people have given their hearts to Christ; four Young People's

Why Not Join The Sword and Shield Brigade?

DAILY BIBLE PORTIONS

Monday, May 24	Luke 22:31-38
Tuesday, May 25	Luke 22:50-62
Wednesday, May 26	Luke 22:63-71
Thursday, May 27	Mark 14:26-42
Friday, May 28	Mark 14:33-42
Saturday, May 29	2 Timothy 2:1-7
Sunday, May 30	2 Timothy 2:8-15

PRAYER SUBJECT

The Sick and Suffering

Particulars regarding the Sword and Shield Brigade may be obtained from your Divisional Commander, or direct from Territorial Headquarters, 20 Albert Street, Toronto.

Recruits have been enrolled as Senior Soldiers; a marked increase in attendances is noted, while enthusiasm is growing and spreading.

An appreciated visit from Adjutant Tame was an occasion of blessing and interest. Her messages were forceful and inspiring. In a specially arranged service for Brownies and Guides, sixteen new members were enrolled. The Self-Denial Saving League amount is already twice that of last year's figure. Every department shows signs of growth. To God be the glory.

NORANDA NEWS

Noranda, Que. (Adjutant and Mrs. W. Hennick) The Home League has started, and new members are enthusiastic about the venture. The meetings are proving to be a blessing to many. In the Young People's Corps a number have sought Christ. Some of these have already taken their stand under the Flag as Junior Soldiers. Though a number of folk have moved away from the Northland, new Recruits and Soldiers have been made.

The local jail meetings are of help, and recently eleven men volunteered for God. They look forward to the meetings and the War Cry.

The radio broadcasts in both English and French languages reach many. Recently a man in the local hospital testified to having received Salvation through listening to the broadcasts while living in an isolated section of the Northland.



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